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## IMPERIAL POLITICS.

### Caucus of the Liberal Party to Discuss the Behring Sea and Other Matters.

### Gladstone Denies That Historical Jealousies Existed Between Different Religions in Ireland.

LONDON, March 28.—A Liberal party meeting was held at the Foreign Office yesterday, under the presidency of Premier Gladstone, to discuss the position to be taken in the Behring sea matter and the course of the Liberals in Parliament. It was proposed by Mr. Gladstone that the Irish Home Rule bill should be put on a second reading on April 6, and that the Home Rule bill should have precedence of all other business every day except Wednesday, and that the House should sit in the morning on Fridays.

Mr. Gladstone expressed a hope that the party would give the Government all the aid in its power to expedite the Home Rule issue and the Parish Council bill, and assist the Government in fighting obstruction.

Mr. LaBouchere, M.P. for Northampton, suggested that the ministers, as well as private members, should curtail their speeches on the Home Rule question.

William Vernon Harcourt, chancellor of the exchequer, said that if the Liberal party only acted with prudence, and according to the proper rules of discipline, they would soon carry to a successful issue the glorious policy with which the nation had entrusted them. The meeting was harmonious throughout and the general purpose was shown to act compactly in support of Home Rule and the other great Liberal issues.

Right Hon. W. E. Gladstone was visited to-day by delegations from the Belfast Chamber of Commerce, Belfast Harbor Commissioners and Ulster Linen Merchants' Association, who addressed the Premier in deprecation of the proposition to establish a separate legislature in Ireland, and represented that Irish interests would be greatly injured thereby, and that religious and racial differences would make Home Rule impossible. Mr. Gladstone in reply discounted the importance of the fall in Irish securities, which, he said, doubtless arose from the fact that the majority of the property-owning classes in Ireland were opposed to Home Rule. Mr. Gladstone disputed the allegation that historical jealousy existed between the members of different religions in Ireland, and denied that racial divisions would prevent unity under one local government.

## CABLE NEWS.

**Honduras Revolutionists Despairing.**

SANTA BARBARA, Honduras, March 28.—From all parts of the republic come reports of dissatisfaction because business is unsettled owing to the revolutionary movement under Gen. Bonilla. The revolutionists are in despair owing to the strength displayed by the former government. They are forced to make an occasional demonstration to conceal their alarm. The ministers of state, finance and war have been requested to resign their portfolios.

**German Embassy for Washington.**

BERLIN, March 28.—The German Government is to raise the Washington City legation to an embassy in view of a similar change being made in the representation of the United States in this city.

**Baron Gyulai Dead.**

VIENNA, March 28.—Baron Gyulai, whom Moltke once described as the best cavalry general in Europe, died on Monday night.

**The Queen Will Receive Cardinal Pausa.**

FLORENCE, March 28.—Queen Victoria has consented to receive Cardinal Pausa as representative of the Pope.

**An Italian Prince Imprisoned.**

ROME, March 28.—Maffeo Parberini Colonna di Scinarra, Prince of Carbagnano, has been sentenced to three months' imprisonment and a fine of 6,250 lires, for having sold the works of old masters to persons outside of Italy without the consent of the Government.

**Swindlers Punished.**

LONDON, March 28.—James W. Pebbs, W. Hobbs and Henry Granville Wright were each sentenced to-day to twelve years' penal servitude, and George Newman to five years, for complicity in the Liberator Building Society frauds.

**Broken Down Completely.**

PARIS, March 28.—The long strain to which the prisoners in the Panama canal case have been compelled to submit is beginning to tell upon them. Charles de Lesseps is completely broken down. He shows no inclination to see visitors, but sits in his chair listlessly all day long. Baihut seems equally overpowered by his sentence.

**Hungarian Politician Murdered.**

BUDA PESTH, March 28.—The body of Baron Louis Kallay, a conspicuous Hungarian politician, was found yesterday in the river Theiss, near Zenta. His skull had been fractured by repeated blows with a metal instrument. His clothes had been torn in a struggle and his face cut.

## WHIST PARTIES DENOUNCED.

### Hamilton Society Considerably Exercised Over a Recent Pulpit Deliverance.

HAMILTON, March 28.—On Sunday night, Rev. Reynolds Morton, from his pulpit in St. John's church, vigorously denounced the practice of whsit playing as carried out by clubs of society ladies in Hamilton, who were known to spend their afternoons at this pastime. This sermon is the talk of the town.

A CURE FOR CROUP.

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## CHALLEMEL-LACOUR.

### Record of the New President of the French Senate.

PARIS, March 27.—Challemel-Lacour, elected president of the Senate to succeed the late Jules Ferry, is 66 years old. After being graduated from college he became a professor and was banished by Napoleon III. after the *coup d'etat*. As a strong Republican he lectured on the continent of Europe on political and social subjects, and also on scientific topics. After the amnesty declaration of 1859 he returned to France and established the Revue Politique, in which he had Gambetta and Brisson as collaborators. After the fall of the empire he was made prefect of Rhone, with headquarters at Lyons. He was elected to the Chamber as a Radical in 1872, and in 1876 became a Senator. In 1879 he was sent as ambassador to Switzerland, and from June, 1880, to February, 1882, represented France in London. In 1883 he became Minister of Foreign Affairs. He founded and became chief editor of the Republique Francaise, one of the influential journals of Paris. A few days ago he was chosen as a member of the French Academy.

## GLADSTONE WARNED.

### Officially Notified of the Injury Home Rule Would Do to Commerce.

### He is "Sadly Sensitive" That He Is at Issue With the Money Classes.

LONDON, March 28.—After receiving the Unionist delegates from Ulster, Mr. Gladstone was waited upon by a deputation of London merchants and bankers, including Right Hon. Sir John Lubbock-Lubbock, Liberal-Unionist member for London University, and Right Hon. William Lidderdale, one of the directors of the Bank of England, who had come to represent the danger to commercial interests caused by the Irish Home Rule scheme. Mr. Gladstone said that he was sadly sensitive that the Government was at issue with the money classes, whose views were commonly opposed to the national sentiment. They should remember, however, that the period of the last Irish Parliament had been a period of marked financial progress, and the proposed measure was as a matter of fact conservative and not revolutionary.

## HOUNDING A PRESSMAN.

### The Paris Correspondent of the "Berliner Tagblatt" Hooted as He Leaves the City.

PARIS, March 28.—Otto Brandes, Paris correspondent of the Berliner Tagblatt, who was ordered from the country on suspicion of having been the author of an article charging Ernest Carnot with receiving Panama funds, went to the Police bureau this morning and gave notice that he would start for Germany at once. His house in the Asniers, a suburb of Paris, had already been covered with insulting placards and when he left it with his wife, a crowd of men and boys began hooting and groaning at him. The crowd followed them to their train without an effort of the police to drive them back. Shortly afterwards M. Brandes' daughters left the house to meet their parents in the city. The young women were surrounded by forty men and boys, were hustled about, and before they could get to the train were struck repeatedly with sticks and lumps of dirt. One of them received a severe cut on the head and required the services of a physician before she could leave the city. The Government made no effort to protect the Brandes family from such abuses, and even allowed them to travel without the usual escort of police.

## THE COUNT DE PARIS.

### A Circular Letter Addressed by the Claimant to the Monarchist Committees.

PARIS, March 28.—The Count de Paris has sent out a circular letter to the Monarchist committees throughout France. In it he says substantially: "The present moment is most critical. The chamber has lost credit throughout the country. The Government has no courage to act against the Socialists. It is powerless at home and devoid of authority abroad. The time has come for all right-minded men to unite in a supreme effort to restore the honor of France. The Monarchists must not repudiate any political alliance required by the interests of the nation and for the defense of religious liberty, but at the same time they must let France understand that the monarchy alone can give her a strong and stable government, whose sole object will be the public welfare. My son seconds me in trying to realize this object. We shall spare no effort to place France upon a firmer foundation."

## THE FRENCH TREATY.

### Sir Charles Tupper Has Left for France to Consult With Sir John Thompson.

LONDON, March 28.—Sir Charles Tupper left London for Paris yesterday morning at short notice to confer with Sir John Thompson respecting the French treaty. The length of his stay is quite uncertain. It is fully expected that Sir Charles would take advantage of the Premier's presence in Europe to discuss the question thoroughly with a view to an amicable adjustment of the difficulty. The decision to go to Paris has been fully concurred in by the Foreign Colonial Office.

BEWARE OF CHOLERA.

The healthy body throws off the germs of cholera, therefore wisdom counsels the use of Burdock Blood Bitters this spring to purify the blood, regulate the system, and fortify the body against cholera or other epidemics.

Carpenter tools at Cheapside. *

A special line of tapestry carpets 1½ yards wide in three qualities are a new feature at Weiler Bros. *

## CAPITAL NOTES.

### The Forty Mile Railway Belt Question—Mr. Daly Believes It Can Be Arranged.

### Tarte's Great Grievance—He Charges the Quebec Judges With Being Influenced.

(From our own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, March 28.—In the House of Commons to-day Mr. Mara took occasion, on motion to go into Supply, to bring up the question of the dispute between the Province of British Columbia and the Dominion relative to the boundary of the 40 mile belt. He reviewed the history of the controversy on the subject, and in conclusion, suggested to the Government the propriety of submitting the whole question to the arbitration of a court composed of the Chief Justice of British Columbia, a judge of the Supreme Court of Canada and one of the Maritime Province judges.

Hon. Mr. Daley, in reply, said that when Hon. Mr. Davie was here the whole question was gone over. He had subsequently investigated the matter with the officers of the Interior Department, the result being that he believed a settlement could be effected without the intervention of arbitration or the courts. He agreed that if such a settlement could not be arrived at the plan proposed by Mr. Mara would be the most effective.

Other members took the opportunity to bring up their respective grievances.

Mr. Tarte complained that the judges in Quebec were subject to political influence. It was shown that he had had ample opportunity to impeach the judges during the session, but he had purposely refrained from doing so in order to create a sensation.

Prorogation is expected to take place on Saturday.

## CANADIAN NEWS.

[Special to the COLONIST.]

**Liberal Convention.**

TORONTO, March 28.—The Globe announces that the Liberal leaders have acceded to the generally expressed desire for a convention of their party and that such convention will be held in either Montreal or Toronto early in June. It says, that so far as policy is concerned, it is likely the main subject for consideration at the convention will be the best means of lightening the taxation of the country and of removing burdens from trade, agriculture and manufacturing industries. The delegates will also take counsel together, it is probable, upon the subject of organization.

**Bridge Washed Away.**

BELLEVILLE, March 28.—Early yesterday morning the ice at Lazier's dam commenced to move down the river in one mass, bringing up at the Grand Trunk iron bridge. In consequence property in that neighborhood is under two feet of water, and the residents have been compelled to seek their upper rooms, and in some cases have vacated their premises altogether.

**Anxious for Sentence.**

MILTON, March 28.—Mr. Davidson, the Burlington forger, who was brought from Mexico, admits his guilt and is anxious for speedy trial and sentence.

**Fire at Picton.**

PICTON, March 28.—The residence of H. K. Fox, near Northport, was burned this morning, Loss $3,500; partially insured.

**Suicide by Hanging.**

THEDFORD, March 28.—George Welsh, of Bosanquet, committed suicide by hanging himself. Sickness and financial difficulties are said to have been the cause.

**The French Treaty.**

OTTAWA, March 28.—It was announced to-night that the French treaty will not be ratified at this session.

## ROMANTIC STORY.

### Capture of a Man Who Traveled the Whole Continent to Escape Arrest.

OTTAWA, March 27.—A romantic story has just been brought to light here by the arrest of James Kelly upon a charge of having feloniously cut Mr. Alfred W. Palmer, civil engineer, formerly of London, Eng., but now of 31 Wall street, New York. Mr. Palmer, who was formerly associated with Sir Douglas Fox, the eminent engineer, was retained by Senator Howlan, the representative of the Dominion Government, to undertake a series of boring operations in the Northumberland Straits, to ascertain the feasibility of constructing a tunnel between New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island. Mr. Palmer went to work and prosecuted his operations immediately, but differences of a somewhat serious character appear to have arisen between him and Mr. Howlan, which led to a good deal of ill-feeling between the parties.

Whether as a result of the troubles or not, Mr. Palmer was in September last assaulted by James Kelly, who was employed on the work. Kelly seized him by the throat and attempted to stab out both his eyes and so deprive him of his sight, but Mr. Palmer struggled so hard that the blows came only on his nose, which bears the mark of a knife. The engineer dropped to the ground like a log, but after he recovered consciousness managed to crawl to the house of a Mrs. Strange at Cape Traverse, who stopped the flow of blood from the arteries by staunching it with flour. So soon as he recovered Mr. Palmer laid information against Kelly, but the assailant had escaped, having been rowed across the Straits, eight and a half miles, in a small boat, despite the fact that the steamer left at the same time. Kelly was afterwards traced to British Columbia and that was the last heard of him until Friday, when he was arrested here in Ottawa. The case was tried in the police court on Saturday, when he was remanded on bail for a fortnight. In the meantime inquiries will be made in Prince Edward Island, and it seems possible that Kelly will be sent to that province.

## MYSTERIOUS "X."

### M. Andrieux Refuses to Reveal His Identity, but Expresses His Ability to Arrest M. Arton.

PARIS, March 28.—M. Andrieux, ex-Prefect of police, was to-day before the Parliamentary commission of inquiry in the Panama case to testify concerning the mysterious "X" who received 500,000 francs from the Panama corruption fund. He repeated his statement that "X" was either a conspicuous diplomatist or a member of the Carnot family. He had been driven by force of circumstances to reveal "X's" correct name to M. Clemenceau. Cornelius Herz, who first knew "X's" name, had authorized him to make it public. Motives of honor, however, prevented his doing this at present. M. Andrieux added that if the Government would place at his disposal a special official warrant he would agree to arrest M. Arton within a week.

## A CRUISER'S ORDERS.

### The Constance Takes on Board a Full Supply of Provisions and Ammunition.

QUEBEC, March 28.—The Canadian fishery cruiser Constance has been hurriedly ordered out of winter quarters for active service. The full crew was shipped yesterday and she has taken on board a full supply of provisions and ammunition.

## MONTREAL MATTERS.

### Branch of the Montreal Y. M. C. A. to Be Established in China.

### Canadian Order of Railway Conductors—Married Women's Municipal Franchise Wanted.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

MONTREAL, March 28.—The Young Men's Christian Association here has decided to endow a branch of their association among the Christian converts in China, and has appointed Campbell White, B.C.L., secretary, with a salary of $2,000 a year. Mr. White lives in Pekin.

To-day the City Council resolved to ask for legislation conferring on married women holding property the same franchise as is now enjoyed in the municipal elections by unmarried women and widows.

The annual meeting of the Canadian Order of Railway Conductors and Trainmen is going on here. A high official of the organization says there are no prospects of a strike during the World's Fair.

## WORST ON RECORD.

### The Newfoundland Sealing Season Declared to Be the Most Unsuccessful Ever known—Terrible Depression.

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., March 28.—The prospects of the Newfoundland seal fisheries are very gloomy. The schooner Island Gem, which arrived here this evening with 2,700 seals, reports the steam fleet almost totally without seals. The fishery will be probably the worst one on record. Last year the take was over 350,000. This year it will probably be one third that number, worse even than in 1882, the smallest number in seventy years. This misfortune has a terribly depressing effect upon St. John's as it was hoped that a good fishery would have helped to rebuild the town. It is now feared that the general business of the country will be greatly cramped. The steamer Barcelona, from Liverpool, arrived here to-day. She steamed three hours through thousands of seals on Sunday, 240 miles east of St. John's. Some steamers, it is thought, are likely to strike them.

## SAILORS' CONTROVERSY.

### A Warrant Issued for the Arrest of the Captain of the "Empire"—Collector Wasson Investigating.

PORT TOWNSEND, March 28.—(Special)—Superior Court Judge Ballenger to-day rendered a decision that he had no jurisdiction in the case of eight British sailors on the ship Empire, for the release of whom habeas corpus proceedings had been entered by Union sailors, on the ground that the men had been brought over in violation of the contract labor law. Immediately upon reading the verdict, counsel for the union sailors wired the government at Washington for instructions and the matter was referred to Collector Wasson for investigation. Late this evening the Union sailors swore out a warrant for the arrest of Captain Davis, of the Empire, on the charge of illegally bringing into the United States foreign contract labor.

Collector Wasson was notified this evening of the seizure of 75 pounds of opium at Tacoma by Inspector Bradford. The dope was found in a lady's trunk wrapped in clothing and had been checked on the N. P. train from Whatcom.

## LAUGHS AT RESTRICTION.

### The Commander of a U. S. Warship to Marry a Honolulu China Girl—What Will Mrs. Grundy Say?

SAN FRANCISCO, March 28.—A correspondent of an evening paper, writing from Honolulu, under date of March 16, says: "Not the least interesting bit of gossip here is the formal announcement of the engagement of Commander Whiting of the United States man-of-war Alliance to Miss Etta Ah Fong, daughter of Ah Fong, a wealthy Chinese merchant of Honolulu. The father of the prospective bride is very wealthy, and entertains here in princely and Oriental style. The bride, one of a family of thirteen children, is a beautiful accomplished girl of seventeen, while the prospective groom, Captain Whiting, is said to be fifty years of age."

If you have cold take Cubb's Cough Cure—save yourself from La Grippe. Sold in Victoria by the following respectable druggists Geo. Morison, Thomas Shotbolt, Dean & Cryderman.

## NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

### Westminster's Council Endorses the Mayor in Refusing the City Hall to Agitators.

### Prospecting on Saturna Island—Plumper's Pass Fog Alarm—Mainland Mining News.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

**VANCOUVER.**

VANCOUVER, March 28.—The officers of the Burrard Inlet and Fraser Valley railway were elected in C. D. Rand's office this afternoon as follows: President, C. D. Rand; vice-president, Percy Dickinson; secretary, D. S. Wallbridge; treasurer, H. S. Huson, mayor of Tacoma; chief engineer, J. Q. Barlow; solicitor, A. J. A. McColl; directors, Messrs. Rand, Huson, Dickinson, Barlow, Wallbridge and J. D. Bryce.

Three families at Mount Pleasant were poisoned by eating corn beef from a butcher's. No deaths have yet occurred.

The opponents of the Parliament buildings appropriation are circulating a petition requesting J. W. Horne to resign his position as a member of the Provincial Legislature. Very few names are on the petition.

The crew of the Empress of India will hold a regatta on Thursday.

The Pacific express was twelve hours late.

The steamer Princess Louise left Vancouver for the North to-day. Among the passengers were R. H. Hall, M.P.P., who has gone on business connected with the Hudson Bay company.

**WESTMINSTER.**

NEW WESTMINSTER, March 28.—While unloading seed from the steamer Telephone at London's Landing, yesterday, Lyman Fraser fell from the gang-plank, breaking his shoulder and several ribs.

Fifty thousand salmon fry were taken by road yesterday to the Nicomeke river and deposited there.

R. C. Lowery, a late arrival in the Province from India, has received land concessions from the city, and will erect a large match factory capable of an output of four millions daily. He will export largely.

The Council last night passed the following resolution: Moved by Alderman Herring, seconded by Ald. Ovens, and Resolved "that in the opinion of this Council the Mayor, in refusing the city hall for the indignation meeting held on Friday night last, acted wisely and in the true interests of the city, and that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Government."

The city is about to borrow $300,000 for various purposes, including the bridge.

The friends of Alderman W. H. Keary, accountant at the penitentiary, are stirred up over the apparently determined attempts to sully the reputation of that gentleman by circulating shameful untruths in the Seattle press, the Sunday Mercury being one of the media employed. This malicious work is being carried on, it is said, to attract the attention of Inspector Foster, who is at present overhauling penitentiary affairs. Those who know Mr. Keary best are persuaded that the tales are false.

**NANAIMO.**

NANAIMO, March 28.—It is hoped Lieut. Praeger will accept the captaincy of the Infantry Corps vacated by the resignation of Mr. McGregor.

Ex-Mayor Gibson has accepted $300 for a strip of a lot on Commercial street, now part of the street, conditionally on a similar strip being expropriated from the Sabiston-Wilcox estate.

Civic finances are reported to be unsatisfactory. It appears that only $2,000 remain for street works, of which $1,000 have already been expended. It is proposed to tax improvements as the only way of raising sufficient money to carry on the necessary work. The Finance committee will have to report as to the rate of taxation and the amount of the improvement to be carried out this year.

The following have been elected officers of the Miners' and Mine Laborers' Protective association: D. McKeigan, president; A. Matheson, junior vice-president; F. Wagstaf, secretary; W. Neive, financial secretary; W. J. Keith, treasurer; R. Booth, trustee.

Sailed, steamer Costa Rica and Montserrat for San Francisco. Arrived, bark Matilda and steamer Romulus.

**DUNCAN'S.**

DUNCAN'S, March 25.—James W. Flett, Peter Flett and H. M. Graham went down to Victoria, Saturday.

Captain J. E. Butler and wife, and W. D. Mackintosh and wife after spending the day here left by the afternoon train yesterday.

J. C. Prevost and G. R. O'Driscoll, the latter with a basket of trout, took the afternoon train for the Capital.

A. C. Fraser left for Vancouver, via Nanaimo, this morning.

To-day was notable for accidents to Siwashes. Indian Tom shot Charlie Quidquarton with a revolver at Quamichan, the bullet passing through the leg immediately below and behind the knee, breaking some bones away and making an ugly wound. Indian Jim fell off a cart of hay near Koksilah, the wheel passing over both legs and smashing one ankle.

J. B. McDonald and A. Hill boarded the train for Victoria.

**PLUMPER'S PASS.**

PLUMPER'S PASS, March 27.—Lumber for the building of the fog alarm arrived from Vancouver on Thursday last and work commenced the following day. Messrs. Crowe & Wilson, the contractors, are employing a large staff of men with a view to early completion.

Judging from the number of applicants for permission to prospect on Saturna Island, one would imagine that the mining wealth of the country is not confined entirely to Kootenay. Doubtless the people residing on the island have good reason to be jubilant over the present outlook, as it was always surmised that coal existed there. Saturna is gradually looming up, and will occupy prominence in the near future.

Mr. J. I. Seabrook, of Galiano Island, is visiting friends in Seattle.

The value of land around these parts is keeping pace with the times. Since Mayne Island has been endowed with so many new buildings, the value has fluctuated considerably, and is now steadily rising. Every available piece of land on the other islands is being taken up, whilst on Saturna Island property cannot be purchased at any price. A few good farms on Galiano Island, however, are still in the market for disposal.

E. V. Bodwell and G. A. Kirk of Victoria paid a flying visit to Mayne Island Sunday.

T. F. Sinclair, and Mr. Day, architect, of Victoria, came up on the Louise Monday morning. Mr. Sinclair brought with him a number of men, and grading operations commenced to-day. The tennis grounds adjoining the proposed hotel have been well laid out, and an eight acre field near is being levelled off for use as a recreation ground. The lacrosse, cricket and baseball grounds are also receiving attention.

Miss Nellie Cheater is on a visit to her aunt at Medicine Hat. H. Wright, F. G. Powell, and W. H. Mawdsley, were passengers on the Louise for Victoria Monday evening. Mrs. Bennett of Sunnyside Villa is visiting friends at the Landing. J. H. Deacon is at Saanich.

The Quadra is expected here the early part of the week to land provisions and supplies.

**REVELSTOKE.**

(From the Kootenay Star.)

A rock slide occurred Sunday just after the Pacific express passed, in the Eagle pass, about one mile west of Revelstoke. Several tons of rock came down from a height of about one hundred feet, and had the train been struck it would have been demolished. The rails were broken and several ties smashed. Foley's gang were employed all day clearing the track. Late in the afternoon more rock came away, and a Finn named Jacobson was struck on the head and rendered unconscious.

Two weeks ago at Lardeau, Mr. Underhill's dog went out on the ice on the Arm to play in front of his owner's cabin, when a large, gaunt wolf rushed from the underbush, grabbed the dog and started with him for the brush. Mr. Underhill seized his gun and gave chase, but the wolf dropped his prey and disappeared before he could get within shooting distance. The dog died the same evening. Mr. Underhill then poisoned the dog's flesh as a bait, and now the wolf's skin adorns his cabin.

J. W. Haskins has disposed of all his interests in the Orphan Boy and the claims on the Haskins ledge, near Trout lake, to responsible parties. These claims, more especially the Abbott and King William, will be developed and worked this summer, the latter being in an advanced state of development. Mr. Haskins will take up Lardeau as soon as he can go in.

The boys at Lardeau City killed a fine cariboo, and Chas. Taylor, of Fish Creek, shot another.

Revelstoke brewery is now running full time, the annual spring orders having begun to come in. Mr. Allen has been shipping large quantities over the C.P.R during the past week or two.

**GOLDEN.**

(From the Golden Era.)

W. H. Bainbridge, secretary of the Thunder Hill Mining Co., and Mr. Kerr, one of the Provincial World's Fair Commissioners, left on Monday morning for the mines. They have gone up to take a general look around and to see the first movements of the machinery.

Anticipating a rush of traffic, the Upper Columbia Co. are now making arrangements to handle it with facility by erecting a fine warehouse by the side of their tram line and close to the C. P. R. depot. Gordon Sutherland is building it. Each of the storekeepers will have space allotted for storage of flour.

W. Woods, who represents some Eastern capitalists who have invested cash in mining properties around Golden, says development work will be commenced at the Canal Flat copper claim at once and in the McMurdo country as soon as the snow flies.

H. J. Connan has been requested by the editor of the London Mining Journal to lecture before the mining section of the London Chamber of Commerce on "Mining in British Columbia." He has consented.

## CAUGHT IN THE ICE.

### A Vessel Frozen In in the Antarctic Ocean Drifts With an Iceberg to the Horn.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 28.—Among the arrivals yesterday was Captain Atkinson, late of the British ship Thirlmere, who came to San Francisco to take command of the British ship Goodrich, in place of Capt. Williams, who committed suicide a few weeks ago. Captain Atkinson, before leaving Liverpool, had a long chat with Captain Spurring, of the British ship Drumcraig, which left San Francisco for Liverpool about four months ago. "Captain Spurring and his crew had a most remarkable experience when rounding Cape Horn," said Captain Atkinson. "The Drumcraig came very near running down an iceberg, and when she got clear there was, in plain view of everybody on board, a wooden bark hard and fast in the ice."

According to Captain Atkinson, the Drumcraig was rounding Cape Horn and making good headway. All of a sudden the truss of the lower foretopsail yard gave way, and the ship had to be thrown up into the wind. Just as she came about the watch saw an iceberg ahead, which the ship came within an ace of running down. As she brushed past one of the starboard watch threw a biscuit on the iceberg, and then everybody saw a sight which occasioned at first astonishment and then sorrow. There was a wooden bark hard and fast on the ice. On the deck and in the shrouds could be seen lumps, which the sailors on the Drumcraig took to be human bodies encased in ice. From the appearance of the ship Captain Spurring came to the conclusion that she had been caught in the ice in the Antarctic ocean and has floated from there on the iceberg. The Drumcraig was about in latitude 45 south at the time, and numberless icebergs were in sight.

"Had the Drumcraig struck that iceberg," said Captain Atkinson, "the chances are that she would have stuck there and all on board would have been frozen to death. Currents will eventually carry the wooden bark and the iceberg around the cape, and if the ship is not much damaged she will be picked up and towed into port. If the crew was on board when she was caught on the berg chances are they were all frozen to death. Being adrift on a mountain of ice must have been a fearful experience, and the horror of the situation must have added tenfold to the torture. One after another they must have frozen to death."

Hood's Sarsaparilla positively cures even when all others fail. It has a record of successes unequalled by any other medicine.

**Do Not Miss**

Reading this item, as Lange & Co. did not succeed in selling their business for the figure agreed to to their Eastern friend, nor in disposing of all of their stock this Christmas to the public. And as the building wherein they have conducted business for the last 17 years is to be destroyed shortly and a new one erected in place, under the circumstances Lange & Co. are obliged to re-open in their own place, No. 86 Douglas street, opposite Odd Fellows' hall. Reduced sales will continue until goods which are left are sold. Any one wishing to secure a good going business established since 30 years, can do so at a very reasonable figure. And the new premises can be rented at a moderate rate.

*Advertisements under the heads of Lost, Found, For Sale or To Let and Situations Wanted will be inserted at the rate of one cent a word each insertion. Payment always in advance. No advertisement received for less than twenty-five cents.*

**WANTS.**

WANTED—A bachelor's shack 15 minutes walk from P. O., on tram line, has vacancies for two or three more boarders. Address A. C. M, COLONIST office. mc28-2t

WANTED—A practical gardener wishes situation; no objection to jobbing work; can furnish first class testimonials. Address Scotchman, COLONIST office. mc28-3t

WANTED—To rent for a term, furnished house in good locality. Englishman, COLONIST office. mc26-3t

WANTED—A typewriter and stenographer. Address "Solicitor," COLONIST office. mc26

FOR SALE—A good paying business on main street for $120. Address F. L., COLONIST. ma26 2t

WANTED—Ladies to learn corset making. For particulars inquire at Mrs. M. Gerow, Esquimalt road. mc22-12t

ACTIVE, energetic men can find permanent situations with us as salesmen at a good income; superior advantages offered, and control of many special lines; we have the largest nurseries in Canada, over 700 acres; write for terms at once, giving references. Stone & Wellington, Victoria, B.C. mc17-1m

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OSTRICH feathers cleaned, curled and dyed all colors. Felt hats, kid gloves, ribbons, lace, ties and all fancy articles cleaned by the new dry French process. Mrs. Windebank, 55 Fort street. no19 6m

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TO LEASE—By the year, 18 Hillside avenue, with acre of fruit garden, $13 per month. Apply 12 Market street. E. Hallit. mc23 5t

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FOR SALE—Saloon, with rooms attached; long lease, central location; good business for a live party; on easy terms. M. K., COLONIST office. mc25-6t

FOR SALE—Lease of the Half Way House. Apply on the premises. mc14-1mo

FOR SALE—Three acres land. Enquire A. V. Bosse's grocery, corner Quadra and Johnson. mc9-1mo

FOR SALE—German canaries, good singers, at 86 Douglas street. Miss Lange. fe28 2m

FOR SALE—The fast steam yacht "Angerona." Can be seen at the foot of Herald street. For particulars apply to James Hunter, 39 Store street. fe25 1m

FOR SALE—First and second class silk ponges, $9 and $7 per piece of from 18 to 20 yards; cheap teas for cash, 18 to 21 cents per lb. Apply C. F. Moore, No. 22 Board of Trade building, first floor, near elevator. ja20-1m

FOR SALE—Fine farm in Westham Island, British Columbia, 119 acres; over 50 acres under cultivation. Fine soil, good natural drainage. House barn and stable; orchard; sixteen miles from New Westminster. For further particulars apply to D. Robertson, Westham Island P. O., or to Chisholm & Logie, Barristers, Hamilton, Ontario. mc10-tfw

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14 choice residential lots, between Battery Street and Dallas Road, closely adjacent to Beacon Hill Park.

Plan and price list at office of JOHN J. AUSTIN, my22 Government Street.

TO LET.

A grocery store at 146 Yates street, with or without counters, scales, shelves, etc. Also the upper flat containing seven rooms. For particulars apply J. Barrow, 84 Yates street. mc25-1mo

TO LET.

Two houses—One eight-roomed; one ten-roomed, with every convenience, water front, Victoria Arm. Both city and good well water. Five minutes walk from car. Apply to GEO. E. SMITH, ma4-1m Government and John streets.

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In Blocks of 10 acres each, at $35 to $45 per acre. The soil is exceedingly rich, and can be placed at once under cultivation or utilized for pasture or meadow.

Two new houses, 5 rooms each, Saan'ch Road, cheap, on very easy terms to suit purchaser.

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FOR SALE.

Chicken and Fruit Ranch, 10 acres, with house, barns, orchard, etc.
20 Acres Fine Land, cultivated; all farming implements included; a dead bargain.
House and Lot, 75x120, James Bay, $2,500.
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A number of empty Barrels, formerly containing varnish are for sale at "The Colonist" office. se11

**ARCHITECTS.**

A. MAXWELL MUIR, ARCHITECT, 93½ Douglas street. ap18

JOHN TEAGUE, ARCHITECT, CORNER of Broad street and Trounce avenue. Established 1862. fel

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**COMMISSION MERCHANTS.**

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REMOVAL.

DR. METHERELL

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DR. D. B. HOLDEN

HAS OPENED AN OFFICE

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ED. LINES, General Scavenger, 222 Yates street. Yards, etc., cleaned. Orders left at Munro & Hughes, 82 Douglas street; J. P. Matthews', cor. Douglas and Fort; or W. Blair, cor. Menzies and Michigan, will be promptly attended to de3

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The lime property situated at Millstream, Highland District, containing 220 acres with buildings and lime kiln in full working order, making 50 barrels per day, and turning out the best lime in the province.
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Lots 1 and 16, Block 3. These lots face on Fry, Farquar and Irvine streets, have over 400 feet frontage, are close to the V. C. Co's No. 1 shaft and close adjoining the company's pay offices where over $100,000 a month is paid out. There is not a 5c. beer saloon in Nanaimo, and here is the very best place to start one and make a fortune in no time. These lots are worth $5,000; I will sell them for $2,500 cash. WM. BEAUMONT, ja29 Cadboro Bay Road.

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Eighteen tons of Early Rose potatoes and three tons of onions. For further particulars and prices apply to CHARLES BALAGNO, mc24-1m-wk Okanagan Mission, B. C.

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And it has the Brightest Future in store, for it is the Centre of the Richest Silver Mining Region of the Continent. A Railway is now under construction to the Famous Mines of the Slocan, and it is the only point in Kootenay from which ore is being shipped in quantity.

Read what that well-known and energetic mining man, J. F. Wardner, says of the Mines tributary to Kaslo.

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I estimate the following tonnage as the ability of the following Mines:

| | Tons | | Tons |
|---|---|---|---|
| Noble Five Group | 50,000 | Ruby Silver | 25,000 |
| Rico | 50,000 | Alice | 25,000 |
| Washington | 50,000 | Mountain Chief | 25,000 |
| Wonderful | 50,000 | Idaho | 25,000 |
| Freddie Lee | 50,000 | Alamo | 25,000 |
| Blue Bird | 50,000 | Great Western | 25,000 |
| Utica Consolidated | 50,000 | Jackson | 25,000 |
| Slocan Star | 50,000 | Wellington | 25,000 |
| Dardanelles Group | 50,000 | Cape Consolidated | 10,000 |
| Lucky Jim | 25,000 | Best | 10,000 |
| Reed & Robinson | 25,000 | Storemount | 10,000 |
| Big Bertha | 25,000 | | |
| Slocan Boy | 25,000 | Total | 780,000 |

Any discrepancies or short-comings in tonnage will be fully made up by the Great Undiscovered. This estimate is reasonable, when we consider that in order to produce 25,000 tons of this kind of ore in three years we only have to displace five cubic feet per day. Kaslo has no rival for this business. A railroad from the nearest point on the Canadian Pacific Railroad to the great group of producers would be sixty-one (61) miles long. A railroad from Kaslo to the great group of producers will be twenty-four (24) miles long, with a grade averaging less than 2 per cent. The construction of this railroad is assured.

J. F. WARDNER.

Those who invested in Kaslo a year ago in many cases have made a thousand per cent. on their investment. Those who invest now will do equally as well, for the forces are at work which will build it into a city of many thousands of people.

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**TENDERS.**

TENDERS.

Seperate tenders, accompanied by samples will be received at the office of the under signed until Wednesday, the 29th inst., at p.m., for supplying

Summer Uniforms and Shoes to the Police Force.

Specifications may be seen at the office of the Superintendent of Police.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. By order, WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office, March 23, 18.3. mc24

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Tenders endorsed "Board of Health Building" will be received at the office of the undersigned on or before Wednesday, the 29th inst., at 4 p.m., for erecting a

Building for Board of Health Purposes

on the Market Grounds in this city.

Plans and specifications can be seen and examined at the office of the City Engineer.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order, WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
Victoria, March 24, 1893. mc25 C.M.C.

NOTICE is hereby given that tenders for the construction and equipment of the Victoria and Sidney Railway Company, complete in all respects, will be received by the Victoria and Sidney Railway Company, up to noon of April 17th, 1893, at the office of the Company, Government street, Victoria, B. C. Plans, specifications, conditions of tender, and all details to be had at the Company's office.

The Company reserve the right to reject any or all tenders.

P. C. Dunlevy, President. Robert Irving, Secretary. VICTORIA AND SIDNEY RAILWAY COMPANY. mc 6

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Some Capital Quality Matting. Cotton Crepe Draping Material, etc.

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Importer and Retailer, 41 Fort St., Victoria. mc21

NOTICE.

I will leave for Toquart Harbor and Alberni about the end of the month.
Surveys taken by contract or otherwise.
WILLIAM E. DEVEREUX,
mc25 sa-tu-th C. E., P. L. S.

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING AND MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

Location of principal place of business, Victoria.
Location of works Cariboo.

Notice is hereby given that call No. 23, of one cent per share, upon the members of the British Columbia Milling and Mining Company, Limited, made on the twenty-fifth day of July, A. D., 1892, is now due and unpaid in respect of the shares hereinafter specified, and that there is now due and unpaid upon the following described shares, on account of the said assessment, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective holders of such shares, namely:—

| Name. | Number of Certificate | Number of Shares. | Amount. |
|---|---|---|---|
| John A. Andrew | 475 | 100 | $1 00 |
| Samuel Bednall | 85 | 100 | 1 00 |
| Samuel Bednall | 861 | 200 | 2 00 |
| Douglas & Deighton | 819 | 100 | 1 00 |
| William Evans | 1152 | 1000 | 10 00 |
| Alfred Flett | 1129 | 20 | 20 |
| Jacob Sehl | 139 | 50 | 50 |
| William Smithe | 832 | 50 | 50 |
| William Smithe | 834 | 50 | 50 |
| Crispin Taylor | 1151 | 100 | 10 00 |
| Orlando Warner | 217 | 25 | 25 |

The above mentioned shares, or so many thereof as will cover the amount due, with interest at the rate of one per cent. per month from the first day of October, A. D., 1892, and expenses, will be sold by public auction at the office of the said Company, No. 48 Langley street, in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, on Thursday, the 30th day of March, 1893, at 12 o'clock noon

By order of the Board of Directors.
Dated at Victoria, the 20th day of March, 1893.
GEO. A. SARGISON, mc21 Secretary.

## HAWAIIAN ADVICES.

Japan Said to Have Covetous Designs on the Islands—Position of the U. S.

The Ex-Queen Reticent—Comments on the Attitude of Kaiulani—Volney Ashford.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 28.—U.S. steamer Alliance arrived from Samoa this morning, having made the trip from Honolulu in eleven days. She brings the following advices:

P. C. Jones, Minister of Finance of the Provisional Government, has resigned, and T. C. Potter has been appointed his successor. A movement is on foot to form a political organization supporting the government, and assist in securing the annexation of the Islands to the United States.

The Provisional Government is strengthening its hands in every way in order to maintain the situation until such time as the United States shall complete measures for absorbing the Hawaiian Islands.

Ex-Queen Liliuokalani stays secluded and refuses to see anyone, with the exception of persons who stand nearest to her. She declines to talk about the revolution further than to say that her entire interests are in the hands of Paul Neumann.

News of the visit of Princess Kaiulani to America and her written appeal to the people of the United States provoked amusement at Honolulu. The story is current that the Princess is engaged to marry the son of Davies, her guardian.

The Advertiser in a recent issue commented upon the fact that Paul Neumann has filed with the State department an account of the revolution and the causes which led up to it. It says: "It contains many suppressions, many garbled statements and many falsehoods, but we do not believe it contains enough of any of these things to pervert the minds of the American people."

H.M.S. Garnet sailed for Esquimalt, B.C., on March 15, and the Japanese training ship Kongo sailed for Yokohama the day following.

It is believed that Japan has designs upon the islands, a large number of her subjects being employed on the plantations. Chief Justice Judd, in speaking about the matter, observed that the captain of the Japanese cruiser Naniawa had called upon the Provisional Government, and said that if the United States abandoned its protectorate the Japanese would consider that no government existed in the islands and would raise their flag. The Japanese Government officials are said to be profiting through the labors of their subjects, and another thousand have left Japan for Hawaii.

Col. Volney Ashford, in correspondence with the United Press correspondent, said that Japan was a power not to be despised, and he was satisfied that the Naniawa would have made an effort to annex or establish a protectorate in the islands had she not been forestalled by Minister Stevens.

The bark Hesper has left Honolulu for San Francisco. This is the vessel on which the second mate was chopped to pieces by members of the crew, five of whom are here. Captain Sodergren, whose murder was contemplated, but who discovered the plot before he could be made a victim, will prosecute them on their arrival.

## TRIBUTE TO CLEVELAND.

The Envoy of Costa Rica Compliments the President of the United States.

WASHINGTON, March 27.—The new special envoy of Costa Rica, Mr. Paralto, was formally presented to President Cleveland at the White House to-day by Secretary Gresham. In presenting his credentials he said:

"The people and the government of the Republic of Costa Rica have seen with the deepest joy the accession of your excellency to the chief magistracy of the United States of America. This great nation, in trusting you for the second time with the direction and custody of her interests and dignity, has given the highest proof of regard for your rightfulness and devotion to the public good. Costa Rica knows through her own experience how strong is your love for justice, and she will always remark with gratitude that to your wisdom and arbitrations she owes the final settlement of her boundary question with Nicaragua. She could not fail joining with the American people to rejoice and hail your return to the seal and succession of George Washington. The President of Costa Rica has honored me with the special commission to come, at this propitious juncture, to congratulate your excellency and to represent the republic near your government as envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary, to which the credentials I have the honor to place in your hands bear testimony."

President Cleveland replied as follows: "Mr. Minister: It has afforded me much pleasure to hear the greeting you offer me in the name of the people and Government of Costa Rica upon my elevation for the second time to the chief magistracy of the United States. The idea of friendship that joins two countries is applicable to their great desire of drawing their relations still closer in the future, and to that earnest desire the efforts of the government of the United States will be addressed."

## ALASKA BOUNDARY SURVEY.

Something About the Work to Be Done and the Time It Will Occupy.

OTTAWA, March 28.—W. L. King, of the Interior department, has completed arrangements for his departure early next month to Alaska. He goes as the Canadian commissioner on the international commission appointed to begin the work of defining the boundary line between British Columbia and Alaska. The American commissioner is Prof. Mendenhall, of the U. S. coast survey. A start will be made from Victoria, B. C., in Government steamers at the end of April. The instructions to the commissioners are very precise. They are asked to gather dates and facts necessary for the delineation of the frontier. Work will be commenced at the southerly end of Prince of Wales Sound. The joint survey will comprise ten or eleven parties of about eight men each. This is rendered necessary owing to the necessity of making explorations and comparing notes. The question is one difficult of solution. When the treaty was negotiated in 1825 nothing was known respecting the topography of the country. The treaty provides that the boundary shall follow the summits of the highest peaks of mountains, running parallel, but yet not more than ten leagues distant from the coast. According to the recent convention with the United States the survey parties will be distinct, but each country will have a representative on them. It is expected that the southern half of the boundary will be surveyed this year and the remainder, extending to Mount St. Elias, before the fall of 1894.

## WINNIPEG WIRINGS.

Unauthenticated Report of a Proposed Newspaper—Fire at Whitemouth—An Ex-Mayor Married.

WINNIPEG, March 28.—(Special)—The report is published that a paper is to be established here by the Dominion Government, but it is very difficult to locate any responsible party who knows anything about the project.

The general store, post office and dwelling of J. S. Corrigan, at Whitemouth, were destroyed by fire this morning.

Ex-Mayor Pearson was married in Chicago on Friday afternoon to Miss Emma Schmidt, sister of Mrs. J. W. Spott, of this city.

## MARINE MOVEMENTS.

Arrival of the "Blairhoyle"—American Tug Boats Doing a Lively Business.

The "J. R. McDonald" Still to Carry Coal—Detention of the "Cariboo and Fly."

The Port Townsend correspondent of the Post-Intelligencer has the following to say in regard to the fining of the American tug Discovery on Monday by Collector Milne: "The seizure was made because the Discovery crossed to the British side last winter and assisted in saving property and life when the steamship Michigan was on the rocks. The master of the Michigan represented to the captain of the Discovery that the lives of the crew were in great danger from impending privations and threats of drunken Indians. The tug made one or two trips across the Straits, rescued the crew and saved a portion of the cargo. The Dominion Government made no objection until last night, when the Discovery arrived in Royal Roads with a foreign vessel in tow. She was then seized and fined."

SAFE IN PORT.

The tug Alert towed the J. R. McDonald hulk into harbor, yesterday afternoon, and anchored her close to shore near Jones' boat house. The vessel has been burned to the waters' edge astern, but appears to be little damaged forward. Her two masts remain in place, but all the sails have been destroyed. On deck are two steam winches unmoved. The engines also remain in position, and, although slightly damaged, can, it is thought, be made use of again. The propeller, too, is in its proper place. The vessel was raised by Capt. Charles E. Clarke with the assistance of the rest of the Alert's crew and Mr. J. McHardy, the submarine diver. Although badly burned at the stern, her machinery and the rest of the hull are in good order.

JOINED THE PLEASURE FLEET.

The little Nanaimo steamer Esperanza towed the sloop Oscar down from the Black Diamond city yesterday. The Oscar is a staunch looking little nine-tonner, which formerly belonged to the Nanaimo pilots. She is now, however, owned by a Victorian, who traded off the sloop Myrtle for her and whose intention is, it is understood, to fit her up for a pleasure boat.

TO LOAD LUMBER.

The ship Blairhoyle, the third sailing vessel towed into Royal Roads from sea by American tugboats within the past few days, arrived in from San Francisco in ballast yesterday morning, having been brought in from the Cape by the tug Discovery. She is destined for Vancouver, where she will load lumber for Australia.

MARINE NOTES.

The American tug Sea Lion had an accident to her boiler just as she was about to come alongside the outer wharf on Monday evening. The accident, though trivial, necessitated her detention in port until last evening, when the repairs to the machinery were completed.

Charles H. Pennington, one of the former owners of the wrecked steamer J. R. McDonald, and Capt. W. J. Bryant, of Seattle, are in the city endeavoring to have a settlement come to in regard to the boiler which has been advertised for sale.

The steamer Cariboo and Fly is now, it is understood, under detention, pending the investigation of a charge against her of having carried passengers without a license so to do.

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" Falcon..... " "
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" Oscar..... " Nanaimo.

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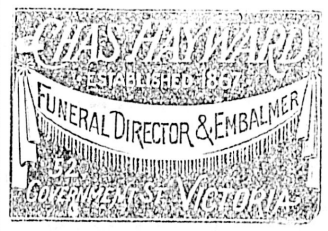


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## *BRITISH COLUMBIA'S MINERAL WEALTH.*

Dr. George Dawson, on the 14th of the present month, read a paper on the Mineral Wealth of British Columbia at a meeting of the Royal Colonial Institute, a copy of which has been sent us by mail. It would be difficult to find a man better qualified than Dr. Dawson to give an accurate and unbiassed account of the mineral wealth of British Columbia. He is, in the first place, a man of science, pure and simple. He looks at British Columbia from the standpoint of the geologist, and not from that of a miner or speculator. He is, besides, a man of high character, on whose lightest word the most implicit reliance may be placed. He is also a trained explorer and he has for fifteen years been engaged in the geological examination of this Province in connection with the Geological Survey of Canada. When expatiating upon the minerals of British Columbia, therefore, Dr. Dawson gave his hearers the results of long and close observation and of large and varied experience.

The paper is unpretentious in its style. Its author's object was evidently to put the greatest possible amount of information in the smallest possible space. After giving a short description of the Province and an outline of its early history, he goes on to tell his readers about the minerals of the Province, their discovery and their development. He informs them that coal was the first valuable mineral found in the province. It was discovered by Dr. Tolmie as early as 1835. In 1851 gold was discovered on Queen Charlotte Islands, and in 1857 some French half-breeds, working for the Hudson's Bay Company, found gold on the banks of the Thompson. Then came the rush of gold seekers to British Columbia. We are told of the placer mining on the Fraser and the Thompson, and of the rich finds at Cariboo. Dr. Dawson speaks of the theory which the miners formed. "The gold," he says, "found on the lower branches of the Fraser was what is known to miners as 'fine' gold, or gold in very small scales or dust, minutely divided. Further up coarser gold was obtained, and the miners very naturally jumped to the conclusion that somewhere still further up the great stream the source of all the gold should be found."

This theory, Dr. Dawson tells us further on, is incorrect. He says: "The 'heavy' or coarse gold, meaning by these miners' terms the gold which occurs in pellets or nuggets of some size, never travels far from its place of origin. It is from this point of view that it becomes important to note and record the localities in which rich alluvial deposits have been found, even when the working of these has been abandoned by the placer miner. Their existence points to that of neighboring deposits in the rock itself, which may confidently be looked for, and which are likely to constitute a greater and more permanent source of wealth than that afforded by their derived gold."

Before, however, these deposits can be worked it is necessary to have better means of communication than now exists. The placer miner, who did not require heavy machinery to do his work, might by means of pack horses carry his tools and provisions enough over rough trails to keep him alive while he collected enough of the precious metal to make a snug pile, but when the gold is in veins it cannot be taken from the rock which it is embedded without heavy machinery, and then railways are indispensable. Dr. Dawson insists upon the necessity of roads to develop the mineral wealth of the Province, and deplores their absence, particularly in Cariboo. "Had the Canadian Pacific railway," he says, "in accordance with some surveys made for it, traversed, for instance, the Cariboo district, there can be no doubt that we should already have been able to note great developments there." Before, then, gold mining reaches its second stage in this Province railways must be built to the gold-bearing districts. "It was," says Dr. Dawson, "necessary that railways should be constructed to carry machinery and carry ores, as well as to bring to the metalliferous districts men who would not face the hardships of pioneer travel in the mountains, but who are in a position to embark the necessary capital in promising enterprises."

Dr. Dawson has formed a high opinion of the coal found on Vancouver Island, Queen Charlotte Islands, and in some parts of the Mainland. It is of all varieties. Bituminous coal of an excellent quality is found in Wellington, Nanaimo and Comox on Vancouver Island, and in the vicinity of Crow's Nest Pass on the Mainland. There are deposits of anthracite on Queen Charlotte's Island and at Banff. Lignite, too, is found in different parts of the Mainland. "The coals of British Columbia may, in fact, be said to represent, in regard to quality and composition, every stage from hard and smokeless fuels, such as anthracite, to lignites and brown coals like those of Saxony and Bohemia."

Dr. Dawson has placed a very high estimate on the capabilities of the Kootenay country. He does not go into raptures over it. His tone is that of studied moderation, but it is evident that he believes that it has a bright future before it. After speaking of the discovery of the Toad Mountain Mine and the Silver King, and describing the development that has been going on there during the last five years, he says:

"So far as they have yet been examined or opened up the metalliferous deposits of this Kootenay district give every evidence of exceptional value. They consist chiefly of argentiferous galena yielding silver to the value of from $40 or $50 to several hundred dollars to the ton. Nelson Hot Springs, Kaslo, Illecillewaet and Golden are at present the principal recognized centres in the new district, but it would be rash to attempt to indicate its ultimate limits." He speaks of the causes that have retarded the development of the country, the chief of which is the want of facilities of transport, and goes on to say: "Such circumstances which have unfortunately for the last five years retarded the development of the Kootenay country are now happily passing away; and there can be no reasonable doubt that in the next year or two this country will establish its place as one of the most important, not only in British Columbia but in North America as a whole."

Dr. Dawson has a high opinion of the northern parts of the Province and considers that they have peculiar advantages which will be of importance whenever mining operations have been actually set on foot.

The paper is from beginning to end an excellent one and we are greatly mistaken if it will not do much to make the resources of British Columbia better known in Great Britain and more highly valued than they have been heretofore.

## *A SUDDEN CHANGE.*

The New York Herald does not give an accurate account of the questions which the Behring Sea arbitrators have to consider. According to it they have nothing to do but to decide whether or not the United States owns the seals which first see the light on the Pribyloff islands, and can claim them, no matter in which part of the ocean they may wander. This is only one of the questions which the arbitrators have to consider and decide upon. There are four others which, until very lately, were considered by the Americans of paramount importance. It was not because the United States claim to own the seals in Behring sea that British vessels were seized in that sea a hundred miles from land. It was because the United States claimed exclusive jurisdiction over that sea. When asked on what that claim was founded, they replied that they bought it from Russia when they bought the territory of Alaska. The Russians, they said, claimed Behring Sea as their own and exercised rights of sovereignty over it, and that sovereignty of the sea was, so to speak, the tail that went with the Alaskan hide. The quantity of paper that was spoiled in the attempt to substantiate that claim and the amount of eloquence expended are wonderful to contemplate, and now we are as good as told by the Americans themselves that it was all the purest and emptiest kind of bluff, not worth the serious consideration of sensible men.

The five points which the Behring Sea arbitrators are appointed to consider have been summarised as follows: "What exclusive claims did Russia formerly assert? Did Great Britain concede these claims? Did the Anglo-Russian treaty of 1825 affect them? Did the United States become possessed of such rights over Behring Sea as existed at the cession of Alaska in 1867? What rights, if any, belong to the United States beyond the three-mile limit over fur seals frequenting United States islands in the Sea?" It was not until the controversy was nearly over that anything was heard respecting the ownership of the seals and then it was considered by the Americans themselves as too absurd to be entertained. But now it is put forward as the sole claim made by the United States. This is about the worst back-down that we remember to have seen. But we find it hard to believe that the United States authorities look upon the questions referred to the arbitrators in the same light as the New York Herald or its correspondent does. They have not drawn their pens through four of the questions to be arbitrated upon and left only the fifth or least reasonable one for consideration.

## *THE STATE OF IRELAND.*

The discussion in the Imperial Parliament on Mr. Balfour's want of confidence motion turned upon the question whether Ireland has not since the accession of the present Government to power begun to relapse into lawlessness. Mr. Balfour and those who spoke on his side maintained that the law is openly disregarded in Ireland with impunity, and that the Government does not make any serious attempt to maintain its supremacy; that, in fact, the course it pursues is calculated rather to encourage the violators of law than to compel them to obey it. That the complaints of the Conservatives were not by any means groundless may be seen from the following remarks made by Mr. Justice O'Brien at the conclusion of the County Clare Assizes:

I refrained from making any allusion to certain matters dealing with the administration of the law in this county when speaking to the grand jury because I did not wish in any degree to anticipate what might happen, or be supposed to wish to influence the result of the legal proceedings here; but I consider it my duty now to draw the attention of those who are charged with the maintenance of the law and the preservation of life and property and all civil society to the result of the present Assizes, which is, that no kind of security any longer exists for property, for the person, or life, so far as it depends on the law in the County of Clare. Seven cases have been tried before me, representing an infinitesimal part of the crime that had been committed, and with the uniform result that the law has entirely failed to bring the offenders to justice, in spite of every means, vigilance and care and zeal could use to attain that result. Every kind of argument and appeal has been made to the jurors, made with zeal and earnestness by the Court itself, to their reason, to their conscience, to their sense of self-respect, and of the common interests of the whole community, to their sense of moral obligations—if such a thing remains—without the least result. I do not know myself what is really the cause of, or what has led to, that state of things. I could hardly suppose the population of this county, or the class from which jurors are taken, are devoid altogether of moral sense, of integrity or propriety—and they are certainly not devoid of intelligence—as an explanation of what happened; and I am constrained to arrive at the conclusion that it is owing to a certain system of intimidation influencing every single relation in the whole framework of society in this county, and directed to defeat the administration of the law. It has reached the jury-box, it has reached the witness-box, it has reached this Court, and here with open audacity the machinery for the objects of false evidence has been exhibited in my own presence; and I understand, and I have reason to know, that even outside means are in use to defeat the result of the law. Even when the law has succeeded, means have been taken by arrangement and by organization for the payment of fines inflicted for violation of the law, to prevent the success attending it. In mercy to the jury themselves, to those men who, as I have seen in this court, stand between terrorism and their consciences—although they have exhibited to their humiliation their violation of their duty and of their oaths—in mercy, then, to that class, and for the sake of the security of property and life in this county, which are not any longer secure, some means must be found, and, I trust will be found, to remove the administration of the criminal law entirely out of this county.

Matters have come to a pretty bad pass when a judge on the bench feels constrained to declare that "no kind of security any longer exists for property, for person or for life as far as it depends on the law in the County Clare." It is to be hoped that there are not many counties in Ireland in this frightful condition.


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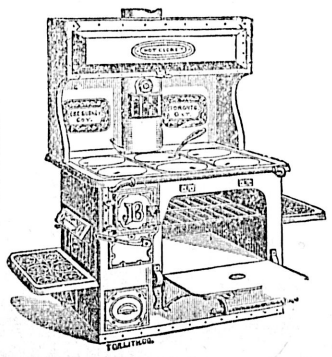

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# THE CITY.

**New Books.**

"The Marriage of Elinor," by Mrs. Oliphant, and "The Honorable Jane," by Annie Thomas, have been received from the Montreal publishing house of John Lovell & Son.

**Preparing for Action.**

There was a good muster of No. 2 Battery, B.C.B.G.A., at the market hall last evening, the drill being in preparation for the Good Friday manœuvres. No. 3 drills to-night.

**The Bill Nye Primer.**

School circles are somewhat stirred up over the rumored intention of Mr. Hayward of the School Board to introduce the funny "Bill Nye Primer" into Victoria's institutions of learning

**W.W.C.T.U. Meeting.**

The young ladies of the W.C.T.U. will meet this evening at 7.30 in the Temperance hall for the purpose of organizing a Y.W.C.T.U. All young ladies interested in the temperance cause are invited to attend.

**Lost a Diamond Ring.**

John Allnut made a complaint to the police yesterday that he had lost his diamond ring in the Dominion hotel. He left the ring on a wash stand, and leaving the room for a while found that it did not wait for his return.

**Foresters Officers Appointed.**

J. H. Falconer yesterday recived a letter from the Supreme Chief Ranger at Toronto stating that he had been appointed Court Deputy Supreme Chief Ranger, and Dr. L. M. McKechnie Court Physician in this city. The letter also announces that Court Columbia, which has only lately been established, must change its name, as there is another court of that name already in existence.

**Anniversary Services.**

The eighth anniversary of the Gorge road Methodist Sunday school will be celebrated next Sunday. Special services will be held in the morning, afternoon and evening, and the church will be appropriately decorated for the occasion. Rev. Mr. Maitland, of Vancouver, will conduct the services, during which the scholars will occupy seats specially provided for them in the front part of the church.

**City Police Court.**

Wing Loy paid $10 fine and $2 50 costs for the pleasure of keeping a high flavored dead horse out on his ranch. Ah Loy, charged with the larceny of a pair of trousers from W. Booth, pleaded guilty, and will be sentenced to-day. Charlie Sing complains that one Chin Sing smote him heavily, and before he could recover took from him a gold watch and $40 in coin. The case will be heard to-day.

**A Musical Trio.**

A strong musical combination has just been formed by a trio of artists who were the stars of the recent grand concert at The Victoria—Mrs. Zippora Monteith-Fischel (soprano), Mr. F. Victor Austin (violinist), and Miss Agnes Dawson, R.A.M., (pianist). These well-known musical celebrities are now ready to receive pupils in their respective branches, who for particulars are requested to communicate with Mr. Austin at the Balmoral hotel.

**Slum Life in a Great City.**

The schoolroom of the Metropolitan Methodist church was filled with young people last evening, when an entertainment was provided by Mr. W. Hampson, who, with a magic-lantern, gave all present a good idea of what slum life in a great city is like. The programme was enlivened with good vocal music, contributed by Misses Erskine, Dunnington, Duffie and Honor, Messrs. Mitchell and Cline and Master Ben. Nicholas.

**To Man the Quadra.**

The number of men who possess unusual qualifications for the work of "specials" is astonishingly large in Victoria. When it became known that Supt. Hussey would take a squad of men upon the Quadra to settle the difficulty among the northern Indians, his office was besieged by a large crowd ranging all the way from ex-clerks to a "genuine bad man" from Arkansas. The requisite squad, twelve in number, was soon picked out and sworn in, but others continued to drop in all day. Supt. Hussey reports that the Quadra will start on Thursday. The entire matter will be thoroughly investigated, and the Indians given to understand that any further foolishness will not be tolerated.

**Robbed the Parsonage.**

Victoria evidently possesses for the time being a burglar as cool as the Portland gentleman who entered a real estate office when the owner was out and inquired of the office boy, "Is that the stove?" It certainly was a stove, and the boy agreed that it was. The burglar thereupon put out the fire and removed the stove. Victoria's burglar entered Rev. Mr. Watson's residence while he was preaching his evening sermon at the Metropolitan church, and proceeded to the nursery where the children were asleep. One of them awoke, seeing a man in the room, and naturally inquired:

"Is that you, papa?"

"Yes, my lad," was the quiet reply.

"Now, go to sleep like a good boy."

His burglarship then proceeded downstairs and ransacked drawers, etc., from which he secured a gold watch, two rings, a gold nugget and several other trinkets, valued in all at a little more than $100.

**Testing a Tester.**

Mrs. C. Cornelius, who announces herself as a "Business, Test and Developing Medium," gave a lecture on Spiritualism in the Philharmonic hall last night. At the conclusion of her remarks she invited those present to bring forward articles for tests. A number of trinkets were laid on the rail, taken up one by one and readings given on them. Most of the audience were interested and amused at the "readings." In several cases the lady came sufficiently near the origin of the articles to cause the owners to nod assent to her questions. A COLONIST reporter submitted an envelope in which was some blank paper. The lady took it in hand, and a strong shudder came over her as the spirits got in their work, and she began:

"In this," said she, "I see three questions. To the first I would say, No; to the second, I am doubtful; and the third will soon lead you where this letter is going. You will soon sell out in Victoria and go to another place, about 200 miles away."

The blank paper was exhibited, and the owner modestly explained that if he should sell out he would still have to depend on a pass to get off the island. The medium good naturedly joined in the laugh which followed. Some of the tests met with an affirmative answer, and the medium would say "Put that down, Mr. Reporter," but as many or more received a "positive negative," all the guesses being wrong, in which case the reporter was forgotten. The crowd was a good natured one, and rather disposed to enjoy what was a fair exhibition of something sufficiently clever to make its nature of little matter to them.

**Inquired After.**

There was considerable inquiry about town yesterday as to the whereabouts of Joseph Phœnix, whose store was recently burned. The sheriff took possession of his coal office for debt, and several local firms say they have claims against him.

**A Grand Concert in Store.**

Mr. J. G. Brown, the leader of the First Presbyterian church choir, has in active preparation a big concert in aid of the Y.M.C.A. It will be given in the hall of the First church, Blanchard street, on Tuesday, April 11. Something unique is promised and the public may be on the lookout for a good thing.

**Mr. Wilkinson's Big Family.**

There was a sociable reunion of the members and friends of the James Bay Methodist church at the home of Mrs. Tufts, on Quebec street, last evening, and those who were there will insist on a repetition of the entertainment. The evening was spent very pleasantly, with music, games and social conversation.

**Harmless and Healing.**

Bill Nye remarks in the "Pen Piazza" of one of his books—and the same would hold equally good of his forthcoming entertainment in this city—that he has "taken great care to thoroughly eradicate anything that would have the appearance of poetry, and there is not a thought or suggestion contained in it that would soil the most delicate fabric."

**Congregational Social.**

There was a large attendance at the Congregational social in the lecture room of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church last evening, and a considerable sum of money was realized for the benefit of the church fund. After a short address by the chairman, Rev. P. McF. Macleod, the choir sang very nicely the anthem, "Praise Ye the Father." Then followed a song by Mr. Patrick; piano duet, Misses Russell and Spring; song, Mrs. McCready; song, Mr. Brown; quartette, Mrs. McCready and Misses Russell, Spring and Macleod—four of the choir's leading vocalists; song, Mr. Russell; recitation, Mr. Allen; song, Mrs. McCready; song, Mr. Sutherland, and address by the Rev. Mr. Adamson, of Alberni. On the conclusion of the programme, the ladies of the congregation saw that each and every one present was well supplied with eatables and drinkables, and during this interval a general chat, participated in by all "hands," was indulged in.

## HEARD IN THE HOTELS.

W. J. Corcoran, the Buffalo artist whose "Disowned" is to be hung in the New York State building at the World's Fair, spent Monday and yesterday in Victoria, coming in on Sunday evening and leaving for Vancouver this morning. He was not able to appreciate Victoria's scenic beauties, owing to the bad weather, a circumstance which he greatly regrets.

"I had heard so much about Victoria's attractions from brother artists," he said yesterday, "that I was certainly annoyed at the persistent rain, although I have not the ability of the landscape artist. I am not sufficiently in touch with Madame Nature to interpret on canvas the grandeur of mountains or sea—but I have a friend who is. Mr. Moran, of Minneapolis, tells me that he intends spending all this summer in British Columbia, putting himself under the guidance of one of your local men—and I understand you have one or two landscape artists of promise here—and going where he commands."

"The delightful coolness of some people is refreshing," observed a guest in the Driard reading-room, last evening. He was reading a Vancouver paper, and held it up as he spoke, pointing to a birth notice, at the end of which was the modest request, "London (Eng.) papers please copy."

"And here's another, continued the philosopher, producing a copy of Glasgow's greatest daily, 'English and American papers please copy.' There's absolutely no limit to their cheek. Just because it's a boy and to be a happy father is envied, all the world is anxiously waiting to hear the news! I wonder if John Smith when 'the boy' gets a little older and he has time to think, will give a moment's consideration to the magnitude of his apparently simple request—'English and American papers please copy.'"

W. B. Cochrane, of Vernon, came in from the Okanagan country last night. He reports that section as being in a flourishing condition.

"Navigation," said he, "is not yet open on Okanagan lake and I had to travel on the snow. Everyone has faith that the Fairview mines will pan out well. There is considerable building going on in the town; Judge Spinks, for one, is erecting a $10,000 dwelling, and the Hudson's Bay Company have begun excavating for a large brick store We expect to have a large number of people our way this summer."

## PERSONAL.

E. E. Austin, Seattle, is at the Driard.

R. McLeese is down from Soda Creek.

Captain Soule, Vancouver, is at the Oriental.

H. F. Goodwin, of St. Cloud, Minn., is at The Victoria.

F. M. Bartlett, Port Townsend, is registered at the Oriental.

John Gillins, of Foochow, China, is registered at The Victoria.

F. M. Rattenbury, the Vancouver architect, is at the Driard.

W. B. Cochrane and J. P. Estee were passengers to Victoria by the Islander last evening.

E. W. Conover, advance agent for Lecturers Nye and Burbank, is a guest at Hotel Victoria.

J. D. Breeze, agent of the Confederation Life, is in the city. He is staying at Hotel Victoria.

Lieut.-Col. Andrew C. P. Haggard returned from the Mainland last evening and is again a guest at The Victoria.

F. G. Quigley, J. A. Thomson, D. R. Young and W. H. Soule were passengers from the Mainland yesterday evening.

Rev. T. W. Glover, general travelling manager for O. Newcombe & Co., the Toronto piano manufacturers, is in town.

J. B. H. Rickaby, of the H. B. Co., left this morning for Winnipeg on a business trip. He will be absent about ten days.

New Novels—The Children of the King, by F. Marion Crawford; Lady Verner's Flight, by The Duchess; Blood Royal, by Grant Allen; The Chief Factor, by Gilbert Parker; Inscrutable, by Essie Stewart; Captain Davey's Honeymoon, by Hall Caine; The Secret Quest, by Geo. Manville Fen; Asenath of the Ford, by Rita; The Ivory Gate, by Walter Besant; A Moral Dilemma, by Annie Thompson. The above for sale by T. N. HIBBEN & CO.

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# SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

## Good Friday's Road Race of the Wanderers—The Jockey Club's Spring Meeting.

## A Programme That Will Meet With General Approval—Notes and Gossip.

The members of the Wanderers' Cycling club had an important meeting last evening, when arrangements were completed for Friday's road race, which will be to the Prairie Tavern, Saanich road, and return, instead of to Goldstream, the road to the latter point not yet having hardened from the winter rains and snows. If the weather is unfavorable for road racing, the club will run off the event, rain or shine, on the Beacon Hill track. Among those who have already entered are W. J. Jeffree, H. Tiedemann, M. C. Reynard, H. Hall, J. G. Miller, L. W. Hall, T. W. Edwards, Capt. H. R. Foot, J. R. Kerr, R. N. Begg and E. W. Bradley, while others will no doubt be heard from within the next few days. Mr. G. H. Seelig has kindly presented a handsome dressing case for the first prize, while Messrs. Kerr & Begg will provide a suitable second. C. H. Gibbons will act as handicapper, starter and referee. Details will be completed and the handicap published at a meeting of the racing board to be held this evening. All post entries will be sent away from scratch.

Last evening's meeting also considered the formal invitation to the club to send delegates to the annual business meeting of the C.W.A., to be held at Toronto. As the meeting is to be held Friday, the communication was filed, comment being unnecessary.

The Captain of the Wanderers has issued a neat card of club runs for April, which will be sent to all reputable cyclists, whether members of the club or not; those who are forgotten, as some may unintentionally be, can secure cards by calling on Secretary Bradley at the City Clerk's office. The runs announced for April, the muster for each being at the club rooms, 45 Government street, are as below:

April 1—Meet 2:30 p.m.; Cadboro Bay and Gordon Head.
April 8—Meet 2 p.m.; Prospect Lake.
April 15—Meet 2 p.m.; East Saanich Road to Prairie Tavern.
April 22—Meet 2 p.m.; Goldstream.
April 29—Meet 2:30 p.m.; Beacon Hill, club drill and short races.

Suggestions for club runs during May will be received by the Captain, Roderick N. Begg, up to April 22.

**THE TURF.**

SPRING MEETING OF THE V. J. C.

The programme for the spring meeting at the Victoria Driving Park, under the management and direction of the Victoria Jockey Club, May 25, 26 and 27, has been decided upon, and presents few—and those few desirable—changes from the cards of former years. The money in the meeting is about as usual, $2,250, and the chief events in point of interest will be the Queen's Plate and the British Columbia handicap, the latter the first two-mile dash ever run in this province. In it it is hoped to have every race horse in the province, as the weights will be so arranged as to equalize the chances of all. Already several Queen's Platers are training at the park, and the track, now under the management of Mr. J. S. Bowker, is expected to be faster than in any previous year.

The rules of the Blood Horse Association, adopted 1887 with the rules and regulations of the National Trotting Association, will govern all events, and particulars, as well as entry blanks, can be obtained at any time from the Hon. Secretary, Victoria. Entries for the Queen's Plate close at noon on May 2, and all other entries at noon on Tuesday, May 23. The full card of races is published below:

FIRST DAY.

THURSDAY, MAY 25.

1. Trotting and Pacing—2:35 class; three heats in five. Purse $250.
2. Running—Half mile dash. Purse $100.
3. Queen's Plate—1¼ mile dash. Purse $500 and cup.

SECOND DAY.

FRIDAY, MAY 26.

1. Trotting and Pacing—3-minute class; three in five. Purse $200.
2. Running—Three-quarter mile dash. Purse $150.
3. Running—Mile and repeat. Purse $250.

THIRD DAY.

SATURDAY, MAY 27.

1. Trotting and pacing; free-for-all; three in five; purse, $300.
2. Trotting and pacing; gentlemen's road horses that have never won public money; gentlemen drivers; purse, $100 or cup.
3. B. C. handicap; two-mile dash; horses owned in Province not less than six months prior to race; purse, $100.

**BILLIARDS.**

A COMING WIZARD.

Mr. C. W. Rhodes defeated Mr. E. J. Prior in the Hotel Victoria billiard tournament last evening, the score being 275 to 137. The game played by Mr. Rhodes was an exceptionally good one, his breaks being 16, 18, 28, 30, 30, 16, 26, 20 and 17. Mr. Perry will play Mr. Rhodes this afternoon at 5 o'clock.

**HERE AND THERE.**

Both Union and Victoria gun clubs met yesterday evening to perfect arrangements for the Good Friday matches and advance tournament arrangements.

A cricket match between Duncans and Chemainus is on the list of events for Easter Monday. The contest promises to be a keen one.

In the international tug-of-war tournament at Vancouver yesterday evening the Scotchmen outpulled the Englishmen with little or no difficulty.

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## WOMAN'S WORLD IN PARAGRAPHS.

**The Melancholy Story of Four Hapless Old Maids.**

First let me repeat my definition of an old maid. An old maid is a woman who wanted to marry, but never did, and is soured and cranky in consequence. As I have said, there are few old maids now, but I heard an impressive story of four of these unfortunates lately. Their father thought women ought to be supported by the men, and they thought so too. As long as he lived the father took care of them. They did not know how to do any work and scorned it. After they were all grown their father died. There was nothing left to feed and clothe his four daughters. They had one brother, with a wife and family of his own. What do you suppose these four able-bodied, alleged intelligent women in good society did? Of course you will say they immediately learned useful employments, went into the noble world of work and earned their own living, being too just and high spirited to depend on the one brother. But no! Not they! They every one slumped down and hung like four millstones around the neck of that one brother. So they do to this day; so they have done for 12 years. It is superfluous to say the brother does not enjoy it. But these girls were brought up to believe that woman should be sweetly dependent on man and look to him for support. They have done so with a vengeance. They are well on in years now and live all four together in a house by themselves, with nothing to do but take note of their nerves and dyspepsia and consume patent medicines. It is like a graveyard of gloom and despair, that home of theirs. They believed that woman's mission was to marry; they missed it, and this radiant, glorious and beautiful world became only a place for them to nurse their grievances. One of them came near being married once, but a month before her bridal day she broke off the engagement because she feared her husband that was to be could not support her in the style in which her generous brother had done. She belonged to that class of women utterly selfish, who look on men only as instruments to provide them with money. So the four lived and abused the world and all mankind until at length one of them became insane. She is now in a lunatic asylum, melancholy victim of a false education and having nothing to do but dwell on her own wrongs and ailments. Anybody would go crazy who lived like that.

It is better to be dependable than dependent.

The New Century club building in Philadelphia was planned and its construction superintended by women, and it is one of the best specimens of modern fireproof houses extant. It has iron stairways, its floors are laid in mineral wool, and the lathing on the walls is of steel wire. The club's new drawing rooms are a marvel of convenience, elegance and artistic beauty.

They do not call him the dude any more. He is the "sissy man" now.

Every day comes the news that one or the other house of some state legislature has reported favorably a joint resolution submitting a constitutional amendment for woman suffrage to the people. The senate of the conservative old state of Pennsylvania has reported such a resolution.

One of the greatest of living women is Mary Ellen Lease, orator, political agitator and member of the Kansas bar. Eloquent and logical beyond most, she is absolutely fearless, and this is the greatest quality of all in a moral warfare. Probably in the whole course of her singularly eventful life it has never once occurred to her to conceal one of her convictions of right and justice because it might be unpopular and incur the frown of Mrs. Grundy. For this I glory in Mary Lease.

Mrs. Taylor of Little Washington, Pa., has done something in oils. She began by making a few modest and careful investments in the Pennsylvania oil fields. She held them till they became profitable; then sold them at an advance and made other investments, or kept them and sold the petroleum. Mrs. Taylor is now worth $3,000,000, won by her own business shrewdness and industry. She is able to support a husband.

A stained glass window has been erected in Jevington church, England, to the memory of the late Duke of Devonshire. It was painted by the women art students of Wimbledon, and the subject was the ascension of our Lord. Just what connection the death of the old Duke of Devonshire had with the ascension of our Lord is perhaps clearer to the English mind than to that of an American.

Nearly 500 women are employed as station agents on the French railways, but they get only half as much pay as men. This is partly owing to the fact that comparatively few occupations are open to Frenchwomen, largely also to the fact that women cannot vote. Denying women the right to vote and paying women less than men for the same work will both be looked upon as relics of barbarism in 1993. Just watch and see if this is not so.

It is offensive in the extreme, this talk that every once in awhile appears in some newspaper about putting a tax on bachelors and using other means to lure young men into matrimony. If men do not want to marry, let them alone. Women ought to hold their own womanhood and delicacy so high that they will be considered to confer a favor on men by consenting to marry them.

The success of the admirable state fairs of Wisconsin is in no small measure due to the energy and organizing power of Miss Frances L. Fuller of Madison, assistant secretary of the state agricultural society. She has held her office a number of years and makes out the annual report of the society, also preparing the premium lists.

The first railway train over the World's fair grounds will be in charge of a pretty girl engineer, Miss Ida Hewitt, a regular locomotive engineer of Cairo, W. Va.

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**The Closing Week of Lent.**

How many people know how to determine the date of the movable feast called Easter? The date depends upon the moon, and can therefore take a considerable range. Easter occurs on the Sunday after the first full moon following the vernal equinox, or March 21. Easter Sunday in 1892 was April 17, and next year it will fall on March 25. The fact that the date of Easter is regulated by the moon points clearly to the heathen origin of the feast. Eostre was the Anglo-Saxon goddess of spring, and the old Germans rejoiced over her coming; just as at Christmas, or Yule-tide, they celebrated the triumph of the sun over the long days of winter. Christianity took the old heathen festivals and wove Bible stories about them. So on Christmas day the legend says that Christ, not the new year, was born; on Easter day Christ, not the spring, rose from the grave. Christmas and Easter are celebrated by Christian and agnostic alike. This is the holy week. It has been celebrated since the third century, and Maunday Thursday and Holy Saturday are referred to by the earliest Christian writers. Good Friday grew out of the Jewish feast of the Passover. The day is a holiday in Alabama, Louisiana, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Tennessee and most of the countries of Europe. Good Friday is observed in memory of the passion of the Saviour, and on Easter the people rejoice over the resurrection. In America the women are all busy getting their spring bonnets and dresses ready, but in Roman Catholic countries holy week is the gloomiest season of the year. No carriages are driven through the streets; the bells and organs are silent, and in every possible way it is sought to deepen the impression of a profound and universal grief.—Post-Intelligencer.

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## PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

**Third Session of the Sixth Parliament.**

FORTIETH DAY.

TUESDAY, March 28, 1893.

The Speaker took the chair at 2 o'clock. Prayers by Ven. Archdeacon Scriven.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

MR. SMITH, from the Mining committee, reported, recommending certain amendments to the Acts of 1891 and 1892.

The chief change proposed is provided for in the following section:

2. The section substituted by the "Mineral Act (1891) Amendment Act, 1892," for section 15 of the "Mineral Act, 1891," is hereby repealed, and in lieu thereof be it enacted:

"15. A mineral claim shall be marked by two legal posts, placed as near as possible on the line of the ledge or vein, and the posts shall be numbered 1 and 2, and the distance between posts 1 and 2 shall not exceed fifteen hundred feet, the line between posts Nos. 1 and 2 to be known as the location line, and upon posts Nos. 1 and 2 shall be written the name given to the mineral claim, the name of the locator, and the date of the location. Upon No. 1 post there shall be written, in addition to the foregoing, 'Initial Post,' the approximate compass bearing of No. 2 post, and a statement of the number of feet lying to right and to the left of the line from No. 1 to No. 2 post, thus: 'Initial post. Direction of post No. 2. feet of this claim lie on the right, and feet on the left of the line from No. 1 to No. 2 post.'

"All the particulars required to be put on No. 1 post shall be furnished by the locator to the Mining Recorder at the time the claim is recorded, and shall form a part of the record of such claim.

"When a claim has been located and recorded, the holder shall immediately mark the line between posts Nos. 1 and 2 so that it can be distinctly seen; in a timbered locality, by blazing trees and cutting underbrush, and in a locality where there is neither timber nor underbrush he shall set legal posts so that such line can be distinctly seen.

"The locator shall also place a legal post at the point where he has discovered rock in place, on which shall be written 'Discovery Post;' he shall also set a legal post as possible at each corner of his claim, on which shall be written 'A. B.'s claim, N.E. C.' (meaning northeast corner), 'A. B.'s claim, N.W.C.' (meaning northwest corner), as the case map be: Provided that when the claim is surveyed, the surveyor shall be guided entirely by posts 1 and 2 and the notice on No. 1, the initial post, and the records of the claim.

"It shall not be lawful to move No. 1 post, neither shall it be lawful to move No. 2 post, except for the correction of distance by the Provincial Government Surveyor. Nos. 1 and 2 posts shall govern the direction of one side of the claim.

"(a) The holder of the mineral claim shall be entitled to all minerals which may lie within his claim, but he shall not be entitled to mine outside the boundary lines of his claim continued vertically downwards:

"(b.) This Act shall not prejudice the rights of claim owners, nor claim holders whose claims have been located under former Acts."

PUBLIC HEALTH BILL.

On the motion to adopt the report of committee on Public Health bill,

MR. BROWN moved an amendment to provide that no person should be removed from a dwelling without the consent of the attending physician.

HON. MR. DAVIE opposed what he termed the ridiculous proposal of the hon. member for New Westminster City.

The amendment was lost on division, 8 to 20.

Another amendment along the same lines was lost.

Further consideration of the report was postponed.

PETITIONS.

HON. MR. BEAVEN presented a petition from the I. O. G. T., asking to have the Boards of Licensing Commissioners elected. The petition was read, received and ordered printed.

NOTARIES PUBLIC BILL.

Report of committee on the Notaries Public bill was adopted; bill read a third time and passed.

PUBLIC WORKS IN COWICHAN.

HON. MR. VERNON presented a return, showing the amount of money spent for roads, streets, bridges, etc., in North Cowichan. The total is $1,923.27.

The House went into committee on the bill to provide a Provincial Home for destitute persons, Mr. Forster in the chair.

The title of the bill was changed so as to make it read "a bill to provide a home for the aged and infirm."

The bill was reported complete with amendments.

EXECUTION CREDITORS' PRIORITY ABOLITION BILL.

The House went into committee on the Execution Creditors' Priority Abolition bill, Mr. Smith in the chair.

The committee rose, thus killing the bill.

REAL PROPERTY BILL.

HON. MR. DAVIE asked leave to withdraw the Real Property bill, which he explained had not been intended to go into effect until July 1894.

The bill was withdrawn.

B. C. SOUTHERN SUBSIDY BILL.

HON. COL. BAKER moved the second reading of the B. C. Southern Railway bill, which he explained.

The bill was read a second time.

MISCHIEVOUS ANIMALS BILL.

HON. MR. DAVIE moved the second reading of the Mischievous Animals bill.

The bill was read a second time.

HORTICULTURAL BOARD BILL.

HON. MR. TURNER moved the second reading of the Horticultural Board bill, which he explained was intended to give the Inspector power to prevent the spread of pests.

The bill was read a second time.

BENEVOLENT SOCIETIES BILL.

HON. MR. DAVIE moved the second reading of the Benevolent Societies Act Amendment bill, which, he said, had been introduced at the request of an influential body of Christians in Victoria, the Baptists, who wished to be incorporated.

HON. MR. BEAVEN thought the step was one which should be fully considered. He had brought in the Benevolent Societies Act, and certainly had not contemplated that it should have been extended to religious institutions generally.

DR. MILNE thought that any religious body that would incorporate under this act would be very easily satisfied.

HON. MR. DAVIE did not see how there could be any anticipated danger in this use of the Benevolent Societies Act.

DR. MILNE thought that the Baptist Church would not be at all gratified to be incorporated under the same act as a dancing club.

HON. MR. BEAVEN said he did not suggest that there was anything wrong in the proposed application of the act, but he did not think it was suitable.

MR. COTTON suggested that the Baptists might incorporate under the head of "Bathing Clubs." (Laughter.)

The bill was read a second time.

LEGAL PROFESSIONS ACT.

HON. MR. DAVIE moved the second reading of the Legal Professions Act. It proposed to increase the number of benchers from seven to nine. This was due, he said, to the increased number of lawyers in the Province. They were now an influential body of men, and he hoped the hon. leader of the Opposition would not continue to belittle them as he had in the past when he attempted to remove all bars to anyone practising who wished to. Another provision of the bill was to vest the law library in the society. This society for a long time with only a few members, had taxed itself liberally and had now a library worth upwards of $17,000. The bill provided that applicants for admission to the bar should reside three months in the province as well as give the notice in the Gazette. A further provision was to provide for the law libraries at New Westminster and Vancouver.

Hon. Mr. BEAVEN wished to disclaim any intention of belittling the legal profession.

Hon. Mr. DAVIE—You advocate throwing the whole thing open.

Hon. Mr. BEAVEN—That would elevate it. Continuing, he repudiated all intention of belittling the profession, which he held to be a most noble one, but he had not always said that all members were worthy of it. He had always held, however, that these bars to the practice of law should be removed. Merit would come to the top every time. He was surprised at lawyers hedging themselves around with so many safeguards to prevent competition, and would like to see all close corporation legislation abolished.

The bill was read a second time.

MUNICIPAL BILL.

The House went into committee of the whole on the Municipal Bill, Mr. Semlin in the chair.

The committee rose, reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

FRASER RIVER BRIDGE.

HON. MR. DAVIE presented a message from the Lieutenant-Governor transmitting an amendment to the Fraser River Bridge bill.

The message increased the grant from $62,500 to $105,000, in payments of $15,000 for seven years.

Ordered that the message be considered this evening.

It being 6 o'clock, the Speaker left the chair.

EVENING SESSION.

The Speaker took the chair at 7:30 o'clock.

PETITIONS.

MR. BROWN presented a petition from the temperance organizations of New Westminster, praying for the election of members of the Licensing Board.

FRASER RIVER BRIDGE.

The House went into committee of the whole on the message of His Honor the Lieut.-Governor on the Fraser River Traffic Bridge bill, Mr. Croft in the chair.

The committee rose and recommended the amendment to the House.

MUNICIPAL BILL.

The House went into committee of the whole on the Municipal bill, Mr. Semlin in the chair.

HON. MR. POOLEY proposed that the large number of amendments proposed by the hon. member for New Westminster district should be adopted as they were, and applied only to New Westminster district municipalities.

MR. KITCHEN said that he would be glad to accede to this, except for one clause that applied to Nanaimo.

HON. MR. BEAVEN objected. He did not think it was fesible to bring in a general bill of that kind.

After an extended discussion it was decided to go on with the bill.

There was considerable amusement created while a vote was being taken on one of the clauses, by Dr. Watt refusing to vote. He left his seat and went out to the library to avoid casting his vote on a subject of which he said he knew nothing. Mr. Semlin, who was in the chair, sent the sergeant-at-arms to call him back. Dr. Watt came back and amidst applause voted against the motion.

MR. KITCHEN's amendment to take away the limit of taxation was voted down.

The committee rose and reported the bill complete with amendments.

STOCK RANGES BILL.

MR. SMITH moved the second reading of the Stock Ranges bill. He explained its provisions as set forth in the various clauses. It was intended by it to settle a point over which there had been a great deal of trouble in the interior, viz: as to where cattle and sheep should pasture. There had been a conflict of interest, especially last summer. The stock men were afraid the sheep would destroy the pasture, but there were others who held that this would not result. The object of the bill was to reconcile the differences. It was not desirable to prejudice any interest whatever, and the idea was to find out how both parties could have their rights respected without conflict. The boards to be appointed in the various districts would decide where sheep should be pastured and where stock would go.

The bill was read a second time.

HEALTH ACT AMENDMENT BILL.

HON. MR BEAVEN moved the second reading of the Health Act Amendment bill, which he explained as being intended to repeal certain sections of the old Health Act.

HON. MR. DAVIE said that the bill should properly have been introduced as a motion on the report of the Health bill, inasmuch as the latter had a clause to repeal certain clauses of the old Health Act. There was good reason why certain sections of the old Health Act should be allowed to stand. They were passed at a time when the Legislature was not hedged about by any constitutional restrictions. There were clauses in the act which could not now be repeated without danger of having their constitutionality attacked. He gave reasons why he thought it necessary to have the old act remain. For instance, the old act gave the Government power to enact health laws in cases of emergency. He sincerely hoped the occasion for the exercise of the power would never arise, but if it did, it would be wise to have the power.

MR. BROWN thought it would be a dangerous thing to repeal these clauses wholesale, although some of them, which gave excessive powers to certain individuals, might be "pared down."

The second reading of the bill was lost, only Hon. Mr. Beaven and Dr. Milne voting for it.

The House adjourned at 11:15 p.m.

LEGISLATIVE NOTES.

Following is the return presented by the hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works as to expropriation of land in Victoria City for public purposes; from whom purchased, amount paid, etc.: Fifty feet on Birdcage Walk and 96 feet on Belleville street, assessed value $6,200, sum tendered $11,046 66, price awarded by arbitrators $11,480, purchased from Robert Williams; 80 feet, Birdcage Walk, assessed value $4,200, sum tendered $6,850, awarded by arbitrators $9,900, purchased from Henry S. Mason; 170 feet on Birdcage Terrace, assessed at $7,950, sum tendered $13,220, price paid as per arbitrators' award $15,760, purchased from T. T. Green; fees and expenses of arbitration $1,075; total $38,215.

There were 32 bills on the orders yesterday before the business of the House started at all.

The Mining bill will create some discussion. It has several important clauses.

## A STRANGER'S SUGGESTIONS.

TO THE EDITOR:—I am told that the city of Victoria has attractions which bring many visitors from the States and elsewhere during the summer months, and that her citizens expect great gains from the flood of strangers that will probably flow in during the coming season. The renown of Victoria reached me in a very distant part of the world, and when at last, in the course of my travels, I reached her hospitable shores I was not disappointed.

One difficulty and discomfort, however, attended me everywhere, the utter impossibility of finding one's way about owing to the entire absence of the names of streets from the corners. Vainly have I wandered about trying to find this or that street, and I find that the natives, though often knowing the name of the street in which they live, are, as a rule, totally ignorant of the name of the next street. Surely an improvement so easily (if any one exists who knows the names of all the streets) made, and of such great use to strangers, will be attended to.

May I also draw attention to the absurdity of calling a house a "block." If Mr. Jones builds a house a little larger than the old wooden shack next to it, he calls it the Jones Block. Now a "block" in urban architecture is a mass of buildings usually rectangular and all contiguous. Any business man who gives his address as No. so and so in such and such a block is simply courting obscurity as far as strangers are concerned. CHARLES ST. BARBE.

Union Club, 28th March, 1893.

## TUGS-OF-WAR.

TO THE EDITOR:—I write a second time to thank you for your aid in seeking to suppress what is not only brutal and inhuman, but also a unique way of raising church funds at the expense of health and, perhaps, I may safely add, morality, judging from the last when seventy per cent. of the attendance left in disgust at the sight of lacerated shoulders, blistered hands, and three poor fellows unable to stand without aid, also the sound of coarse language, yells and hisses when the passions of men seemed threatening. I state the facts, which hundreds can attest. Mr. Arden's letter is no reply to mine, if his object is, as he says, to keep the citizens from saloons. Then why not preach temperance to them, I have strong opinions about descending to this course for money—no one approves of it. If money is wanted, why not go and get it in the usual way?

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From the inaugural address of Governor Routt of Colorado: "About eight years ago a law was passed giving the women of Colorado the right to vote at school district elections, and inasmuch as since that time the heavens have not fallen and the efficiency of the public schools has greatly improved I recommend a law extending to the women of Colorado the right of suffrage at all municipal elections."

Miss Martha Jordan of Dallas is the first colored woman to prepare herself for practicing dentistry. She is attending the dental department of Denver university.

The most burning grievance that the enemies of Dr. McGlynn had against him was a charge, declared to be unfounded, that he had called Pope Leo an old woman. This seems to be the bitterest reproach that can be flung into the teeth of a man. Well, that may be, but this is certain—an old woman is ever so much nicer than an old man.

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| Name. | No. of P.R. | Date. | Acr's. |
|---|---|---|---|
| F. Nurms | 222 | 4th Sep. 1889 | 160 |
| M. Phipps | 176 | 17th Dec 1889 | 160 |
| A J. Galergno | 511 | 7th Oct. 1891 | 160 |
| Brown & Crawford | 558 | 7th Dec. 1891 | 320 |
| John McKenzie | 587 | 4th Jan. 1892 | 160 |
| Campbell & Smith | 603 | 20th Feb. 1892 | 320 |
| J. M. Leigh | 660 | 6th June 1892 | 160 |

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A CORRECTION.

To the Editor: An advertisement appears in your columns which does us and many others a great injustice. I refer to that of Ross, McLaren & Co. re the townsite of Duluth. None of the land referred to in the advertisement is in any way connected with the townsite of Duluth. Our land, as well as any other that has been platted or added to Duluth is ours in fee simple by virtue of a crown grant issued two years ago, and the title is indisputable.

Very respectfully,

KING & CASEY.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Sections 9, 10 and 11, North Range 1, West, in the District of North Saanich.

WHEREAS the certificate of Indefeasible Title of Henry Beecroft Jackson to the above hereditaments bearing date the 23rd day of March, 1870, has been lost or destroyed and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate; notice is hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary, in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, March 1, 1893. mch5

Dissolution of Partnership.

The partnership heretofore existing and known as CALLBREATH, GRANT & COOK, doing business as General Merchants in Cassiar, B.C., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to or due by the late firm will be settled by John Cowan Callbreath and George W. Cook.

JOHN C. CALLBREATH.
JOHN GRANT.
GEORGE W. COOK,
By his Attorney in fact,
John C. Callbreath.

Witness for all—JOS FLETCHER.

Victoria, B.C., 11th March, 1893. mc12-1m


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| De 8.00 A.M | De 2.30 P.M | | VICTORIA | 78 | Ar 12.24 | Ar 5.58 P.M |
| " 8.04 | " 2.34 | 1 | RUSSELL'S | 77 | " 12.20 | " 5.51 |
| " 8.14 | " 2.44 | 4 | ESQUIMALT | 74 | " 12.10 P.M | " 5.44 |
| " 8.39 | " 3.09 | 11 | GOLDSTREAM | 67 | " 11.45 A.M | " 5.19 |
| " 9.14 | " 3.38 | 20 | SUMMIT SIDING | 58 | " 11.10 | " 4.50 |
| " 9.31 | " 4.01 | 26 | SHAWNIGAN L'E | 52 | " 10.50 | " 4.24 |
| " 9.44 | 4.14 | 31 | COBBLE HILL | 47 | " 10.40 | " 4.14 |
| 9.57 | " 4.29 | 35 | McPHERSON'S | 43 | " 10.27 | " 3.59 |
| " 10.07 | " 4.39 | 38 | KOKSILAH | 40 | " 10.17 | " 3.49 |
| " 10.12 | " 4.44 | 40 | DUNCAN'S | 38 | " 10.12 | " 3.44 |
| " 10.22 | " 4.54 | 43 | SOMENOS | 35 | " 10.02 | " 3.34 |
| " 10.48 | " 5.16 | 52 | CHEMAINUS | 26 | " 9.36 | " 3.12 |
| " 11.09 | " 5.33 | 59 | OYSTER BAY S'G | 19 | " 9.15 | " 2.55 |
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NOTICE.

FRIDAY, the 31st day of March, instant, and Monday, the 3rd day of April, proximo, being Statute holidays, the Public Offices will be closed on those days.

By Command.

JAMES BAKER, Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office, 23rd March, 1893. mc28-td

Notice of Sale by Sheriff.

PURSUANT TO THE "EXECUTION ACT."

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

JOHN CAMPBELL

AND

THE KOOTENAY, B.C., SMELTING & TRADING SYNDICATE (LD.)

IN obedience to a writ of fi. fa. issued out of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, dated the 14th day of February, 1893, and to me directed in the above-named suit, for the sum of $10,481.23, and $3.50 for costs of execution, etc., and also interest on $10,458.31, at 6 per cent. per annum, from the 20th day of January, 1893, until payment, besides Sheriff's fees, poundage and all other expenses of this execution, I have seized and will sell by Public Auction the following goods on THURSDAY THE 2ND DAY OF MARCH, 1893, at the Kootenay, B.C., Smelting & Trading Syndicate (Limited) works, near Revelstoke, B.C., at 12 o'clock noon, to satisfy the judgment debt and costs of this action, if the said amounts are not sooner paid.

LIST OF GOODS SEIZED.

1 stationary hoisting engine and hoisting gear
1 stationary engine and fixtures in lower engine-room.
1 fan blast fixtures.
1 Gurney scale, capacity 3,500 lbs.
1 large stationary engine.
1 steam pump.
5 iron wheelbarrows.
2 large oil tanks, with pumps.
2 jack screws.
50 feet rubber hose.
50 feet band iron.
200 feet hemp rope.
5 boxes window glass.
17 slag pots, small.
2 " large.
16 moulds, quantity crushed ore, wire rope, charcoal and coke, number of metal castings, pulleys, belts, etc.

REDGRAVE, Sheriff of Kootenay.

Dated at Donald, 20th February, 1893.

The above sale is adjourned till Wednesday, March 8th, 1893, at same place and hour.

S. REDGRAVE, Sheriff.

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The above sale is further adjourned till Monday, March 27th, at same place and hour.

S. REDGRAVE, Sheriff.

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# ACTRESS AND SINGER.

## Two Talented Women Who Are Rising Rapidly.

### EMILY BANCKER, LILLIAN ELMA.

**Neither of These Ladies Was a Child Phenomenon—Some Details of Their Stage Careers and Personal Characteristics. Their Plans For the Future.**

Emily Bancker, the leading lady of that particular band of Charles Frohman's comedians which is now performing "His Wedding Day," is in private life Mrs. Thomas W. Ryley, her husband being the well known comedian. Miss Bancker was born in New York city and made her debut on the stage at the age of 15 in a very lurid melodrama called "The Pavements of Paris." She was the ingenue of the company, and most of her work since then has been in that line.

EMILY BANCKER.

Miss Bancker's next engagement was in Sol Smith Russell's company, where she remained one season, leaving to accept an offer from the Hanlons for their "Voyage En Suisse." During this tour she met Mr. Ryley, to whom she was married during the second season.

Miss Bancker's reputation had reached the ears of Miss Rosina Vokes, and that lady secured her for leads in her company. She remained with Miss Vokes two seasons, when she joined Charles Frohman's forces, playing one of the widows in the Bisson-Carre-Gillette farce, "Mr. Wilkinson's Widows." Later on Mr. Frohman transferred Miss Bancker to "The Junior Partner," and when "His Wedding Day" was put on she took the only available part, which, however, is entirely unworthy of her ability.

Unlike most actresses, Miss Bancker is not at all fond of dress, and her apparel off the stage is always modest, though in excellent taste. Neither is she stagestruck—she was when she adopted the profession, but she has got bravely over it and now thinks of the theater only when she is in it. Her only fad is horseback riding, which she considers both healthful and enjoyable. Miss Bancker is an only child, and her mother travels with her a great deal. At present her husband is a member of the same company as herself. She is the first member of her family to adopt the stage as a profession.

Miss Bancker is slight, tall, graceful and exceedingly pretty. Her manners are easy and unaffected, and her smile is sufficient to put a visitor at ease within a moment. In conversation she is agreeable and is never at a loss for a reply to a sally.

Lillian Elma is an English woman by birth, but an American by choice. She was born in London Sept. 13, 1868, and appeared on the stage for the first time at an early age merely as part of a picture in a spectacle. She lived in Manchester until 1881, when she came to America, where she received her education. When she was 16 years of age, Miss Elma appeared in a melodrama entitled "Only a Farmer's Daughter," which was written by her brother-in-law, Elliott Barnes. Later on she was a joint star with Mr. Barnes in a repertory of his dramas.

Miss Elma has done a good deal of soubrette work. Among some of the best known companies with which she has appeared are those of Barry and Fay, Hoyt and Thomas, Vernona Jarbeau, Evans and Hoey and Gus Williams. While she was a member of the last named company, Miss Elma was, in 1888, married to Francis J. Crilly, a Philadelphia lawyer.

LILLIAN ELMA.

The union was not a happy one, and in 1890 Miss Elma secured a divorce from her husband. She had at the time left the stage temporarily and entered the National Conservatory of Music for the purpose of cultivating her voice for grand opera. She had intended to remain in the conservatory for several years longer than she did, but was unable to withstand the temptation of a very flattering offer held out to her by Gus Williams to create the prima donna role of Annie Condor in his new play, "April Fool."

She is once more in New York assiduously pursuing her musical studies and during the coming summer will probably accept an offer which has been made to her by a prominent manager to become the prima donna of a large comic opera company which will be organized to give the old favorites on an elaborate scale. Strange to say, Miss Elma does not like the stage and would leave it if she could afford to do so. She is a great student and reads whenever she is not studying. She has a high soprano voice of great flexibility and power.

Miss Elma pleads guilty to being what she calls a "phonograph crank," and she has a magnificent instrument in her room which she uses in the testing of her voice and also as a source of amusement. Miss Elma has a strong but pretty face and a beautifully rounded figure. She has no children, and this, she confesses, is the greatest regret of her life. LUCY LAWN.

## CHIMMIE AND DE DUCHESS ENGAGED.

**But the Duchess Had to Do the Proposing After a Scene In a Studio.**

"Say, I'm feelin like er t'ree times winner; up t' de limit an stayin dere wid bote feet. Sure. De duchess an me is goin t' get hitched, an I'm goin ter be Mr. Burton's man, wot's de mug wot's Miss Fannie's felly. Dats right. W'en? Say, lemme tell ye: Miss Fannie and dat mug, Mr. Burton, is goin t' git married, an den de duchess an me gets married, so as ter take care er dem. See? Mr. Burton's de mug wot fixed de job, 'cause 'e's been kinder stuck on me.

"It all happened along wid Miss Fannie gettin 'er picture took by one er dem artis wot paints t'ings wid paint. Say, dose mugs—dose artis' mugs—is er slick gang.

"I t'ink I'll learn dat trade meself one er dose days.

"Well, I was tellin ye. 'Is w'iskers tole Miss Fannie t' go t' one er dem mugs an get 'er picture took, so 'e could have it on de wall w'en she chases 'erself off wid Mr. Burton an don't live to home no more.

"Den she gets one er de dresses wot 'er modder wored, wots dead, an de duchess puts it in 'er box, and wese all goes down t' de artis' joint in de carriage. De duchess chases up wid Miss Fannie fer t' dress 'er, an I chases up after dem wid de dress in de box, an w'en I gets dere I says t' meself, says I, 'Chimmie,' I says, 'if yuse know er good t'ing w'en ye gets it, ye wants t' make er sneak from de coachman an stay right here where its warm, stid er goin down dere on de street an stringin de coachman, where its cold. See?'

"While de duchess was dressin Miss Fannie in de dressin room I was pipin off de artis' joint, an 'e was pipin off me.

"Dose artis' is all for'n mugs. Dey comes from for'n parts wot is called Bohemia, cause de duchess tole me dey was all Bohemians.

"I don't know jes' where dat for'n part is, but dey must be all great scrappers dere, fer de mug had guns an pistols an knives an clubs hung up on de wall wot I s'pose 'e scrapped wid to home before 'e learned dat bunko trade. See? Den dere was banjos an fiddles an beer schooners an pipes, an I don't know wot t'ell dere wasn't. Standin roun on sawbucks dere was lots er dose dinky pictures wot de mug painted wid paint, like wot ye see in de beer joints on de Bowery, only not so pretty, an dere was no doors, only carpets hung up.

"W'en de artis seed me pipin off 'is game, 'e says ter me, says 'e, 'Wot's yer name, me boy?' 'e says. 'Chimmie Fadden,' I says, 'an I taut I'd stay up here, havin rumatiz bad in me knee wot gets worse when I sits on de box wid de coachman,' I says, stringin 'im. See?

"'Oh,' 'e says, 'I heerd tell er yuse,' says 'e, 'from Mr. Burton,' 'e says, wots Miss Fannie's felly. 'Yuse can stay in de back room wid de maid,' says 'e, 'if Miss Fannie don't care.'

"Den 'e pipes me off wid 'is eyes kinder half shut, see? an 'e says sometin 'bout me bein er good type.

"I don't know jes' wot 'e meaned, but w'en 'e says 'type' that kinder put me outer 'is game, an I says, says I: 'Are yuse one er dose mugs wot takes tin types at Coney Island in de summer?' seein as how 'is game was takin pictures, I taut dat was right. See?

"Den I taut 'e'd die er laughin, dough I don't know wot t'ell 'e was laughin 'bout 'less 'e taut I was a-stringin of 'im.

"Yuse can't tell 'bout wot for'n folks is t'inkin off, but if 'e was for'n he speaked English jes' as good as me.

"Den 'e gives me er cigarette an says dat 'e's glad ter find I was—dis is 'is very word—dat I was as 'crackristic' as Mr. Burton said I was.

"Den 'e goes inter de big room, where dere was lots er light and where Miss Fannie had went, too, an 'e begins ter take her picture.

"De duchess an me we peeked tru de carpet wot hung where dere wasn't no door, an I seed Miss Fannie.

"Say, yuse never seed nothin like she looked. I don't t'ink dat dose angels wot she tells de mission kids erbout ain't no more beautifuller dan she was standin by de side er a harp, wot's er kind er big dago banjo wot she plays fer 'is w'iskers wot er modder uster play.

"De artis' mug stood behind er patch er cloth wot was on er kinder ladder, and 'e was paintin.

"Pretty soon de duchess whispered t' me would I give 'er a cigarette, and I pinched one from de artis' box, an we sits down on er soffer, an de duchess she says, kinder pipin off 'er cigarette smoke 'stid er me, says she, 'Did yer ast Mr. Burton yet for t' take yuse fer 'is man?' she says.

"Den I says 'No,' I says. 'Wot t'ell,' I says. 'Wot fer?'

"Say, she give me er look like I was er farmer, er dead farmer, but den she says, makin eyes agin at 'er cigarette, she says: 'How will yuse be wid me,' says she, 'w'en Mr. Burton an Miss Fannie is married, 'less yuse go along as 'is man? See?'

"Say, den I tumbled, an I tumbled so hard it jolted all de breathe outter me body. I couldn't open me mout'. Down where I uster live I was de boss jollier wid de chippies, but dis time I was nothin but er farmer.

"De duchess she give me er look wot paralyzed me worsen before, an den she humped 'er shoulders like for'n folks do, and chased 'erself roun de room makin er bluff er piping de pictures.

"Dat's de way we was w'en Mr. Burton chased in, an 'e says tru de carpet door, 'Can I come in?' Den Miss Fannie she says tru de carpet, 'No, yer can't,' she says. But 'e begs, an she lets 'im in, an den I heard dem all laughing w'en de artis' tells dem 'bout me astin 'im did 'e take tin types at Coney Island.

"'Yes,' says de duchess, 'yuse can talk fast 'nough t' everybody but me,' she says. 'Go down t' de carriage where yuse belong,' she says, an she chases 'erself inter de dressin room.

"Dat's de way I comes to tackles Mr. Burton. I nailed 'im dat night w'en 'e comes t' our house, before 'e got in, an I says t' 'im, says I, 'I'm lookin fer a job wid youse,' I says. 'If I gits de job wid youse, I gits hitched to de duchess, an if I don't I goes crazy,' I says.

"'E taut er while, an den 'e says, 'Well, Chimmie, says 'e, 'youse done me er good trick when youse squared me wid Miss Fannie's fadder,' says 'e, 'an it Miss Fannie says so it goes.'

"'Yer dead on dere,' says I. 'If she says so it goes sure.'

"I don't know wot kinder game Mr. Burton gives Miss Fannie, er wot Miss Fannie says t' de duchess, but de nex' day de duchess comes t' me an she says, 'So yuse is goin t' be Mr. Burton's man,' says she.

"Den I takes er big brace, an I says, 'Not on yer life, duchess,' says I; 'not on yer life, widout I'm yer man first,' I says, an dat's wot I said. See?

"Den de duchess she turns red, an she says it'll be all right when I learns ter talk English, but dat's only 'er way er jollyin me, 'cause if dere's one t'ing 'bout me wot's up t' de limit, it's me English. See?"—New York Sun.

## THE NEW BASEBALL RULES.

**How the National Game Must Be Played the Coming Season.**

At the recent meeting of the National league of baseball clubs in New York city the playing rules were amended in several instances in a manner which will radically affect every club in the United States, whether amateur or professional. The full official text of the new rules concerning the pitcher, the bat, base stealing and sacrifice hitting follows:

The Pitcher—Rule 5. The pitcher's boundary shall be marked by a white rubber plate 12 inches long and 4 inches wide, so fixed in the ground as to be even with the surface at the distance of 60 feet and 6 inches from the outer corner of the home plate, so that a line drawn from the center of the home base to the center of second base will give six inches upon either side.

Rule 27. The pitcher shall take his position facing the batter with both feet square on the ground in front of the pitcher's plate; but in the act of delivering the ball one foot must be in contact with the pitcher's plate, as defined in rule 5.

Sacrifice Batting—Rule 65. "A time at bat" is the term at bat of a batsman. It begins when he takes his position, and continues until he is put out or becomes a base runner, except when because of being hit by a pitched ball, or in case of illegal delivery by the pitcher, or in case of a sacrifice hit purposely made to advance a base runner, which does not result in a base hit.

Base Stealing—Rule 67, Section 8. If a base runner advances a base on a fly out, or gains two bases on a single base hit, or an infield hit, or attempted out, he shall be credited with a stolen base, provided there is a possible chance for or a palpable attempt made to retire him.

The flat bat (rule 13) was shelved by inserting the word "hard" before the word "wood," and striking out the words "except that a portion of the surface may be flat on one side."

## THE SALTONSTALL TROPHY.

**An Urn Valued at $1,000 For World's Fair Wheelmen.**

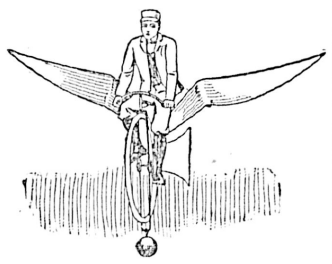
The magnificent Saltonstall trophy will be one of the magnets that will draw many noted wheelmen to the grand international bicycling tournament at Chicago the coming summer. The trophy is a Grecian urn of sterling silver 20 inches high and mounted on a 6-inch base of ebony. The lid of the trophy is surmounted by a figure of Fame standing on a globe and holding a laurel wreath. Among the urn's other beauties are flags of various nations, wreathes of acanus leaves, an American eagle, heads of Bacchus and Mercury, the L. A. W. emblem and a bas-relief of a bicyclist on the ebony base. The value of the trophy is $1,000.

H. L. SALTONSTALL.

Henry L. Saltonstall, the donor of the urn, is captain of the Elizabeth Athletic club at Elizabeth, N. J. He is an enthusiastic wheelman and intends that his trophy shall be offered as a perpetual prize to be awarded each year to the man scoring the largest number of points in the international bicycling contest.

**A Wheel That May Fly.**

A brother of Joaquin Miller, the poet of the Sierras, who resides at Eugene, Or., claims to have invented a skycycle that will fly through the air like a bird at a rate of 30 or 40 miles an hour. The inventor is so confident of the success of his flying machine that he proposes to ride to the World's fair on it. The machine now in existence is built of wood and will sail up into the air, fly around in a circle and drop down to terra firma with grace and ease, according to the inventor's story.



THE SKYCYCLE.

The perfected machine will be constructed of aluminium and will weigh between 30 and 40 pounds. It will be fitted with wings, which are to be moved by the rider, who will pedal just as he does on an ordinary bicycle. Beneath the machine is to hang a swinging weight, which will prevent the skycycle from tipping over. In starting the skycyclist will ride along the ground until he gets considerable momentum; then the swiftly flapping wings will carry him high into the air. The veracious inventor declares that tests have conclusively proved that he is not a second Darius Green, whose flying machine has been celebrated in verse.

## SPORTING NOTES.

John Roberts, Jr., the English billiard champion, recently made the phenomenal run of 737 points in a successful match against W. J. Peall.

Four yachts to defend the America's cup are now ordered, two by Boston yachtsmen and two by New Yorkers.

A movement is on foot to amalgamate the American Trotting association, the American Register association and the National Trotting association.

It is expected that Schaefer, Slosson, Ives, Vignaux, Garnier and Piot will enter the great international billiard tournament planned by Al Smith and contest for his $5,000 of prize money.

B. V. Jackson of Chicago killed 25 birds straight and won the silver cup at the Washington Park Gun club's recent shoot.

**Merrill, the Young Harvard Sprinter.**

S. M. Merrill, the young sprinter who recently won the relay team race for Harvard when six Yale and six Harvard men ran against each other at Boston, is one of the most promising short distance men at Harvard. He is only 20 years old, 5 feet 11 inches tall and weighs 163 pounds. He has won in races all the way from 100 yards to a half mile. Last year at the intercollegiate meeting in New York Merrill was second in the ¼-mile race. He was beaten by a yard, and his time was 50 3-5 seconds.

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MR. C. C. HAUN.

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As will be seen from his letter, four physicians had attended him, and it was only after he had given up hope of cure that he decided to try Burdock Blood Bitters on the recommendation of a neighbor who had been cured of a similar disease by its use. Mr. Haun writes as follows:

DEAR SIRS,—I think I have been one of the worst sufferers you have yet heard of, having been six years in the hands of four of our best doctors without obtaining permanent relief, but continually growing worse, until almost beyond hope of recovery, I tried your Bitters and got relief in a few days. Every organ of my body was deranged, the liver enlarged, hardened and torpid, the heart and digestive organs seriously deranged, a large abscess in my back, followed by paralysis of the right leg, in fact the lower half of my body was entirely useless. After using Burdock Blood Bitters for a few days the abscess burst, discharging fully five quarts of pus in two hours. I felt as if I had received a shock from a powerful battery. My recovery after this was steady and the cure permanent, seeing that for the four years since I have had as good health as ever I had. I still take an occasional bottle, not that I need it but because I wish to keep my system in perfect working order. I can think of no more remarkable case than what I have myself passed through, and no words can express my thankfulness for such perfect recovery.

C. C. HAUN,
Welland P.O.

In this connection the following letter from T. Cumines, Esq., a leading druggist of Welland, Ont., speaks for itself:

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JAMES REID
W. A. JOHNSTON.
Witness, GEO. B. CLARKE. ja20-1m-d&w

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|---|---|---|
| Empress of China .. | Feb. 15, 1893 | Mar. 6, 1893 |
| Empress of India ... | Mar. 15, " | April 3, " |
| Empress of Japan .. | April 12, " | April 24, " |
| Empress of China... | May 3, " | May 15, " |
| Empress of India... | May 24, " | June 5, " |
| Empress of Japan .. | June 14, " | June 26, " |
| Empress of China... | July 5, " | July 17, " |
| Empress of India... | July 26, " | Aug. 7, " |
| Empress of Japan .. | Aug. 16, " | Aug. 28, " |
| Empress of China .. | Sept. 6, " | Sept. 18, " |
| Empress of India... | Sept. 27, " | Oct. 16, " |
| Empress of Japan .. | Oct. 25, " | Nov. 13, " |
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TIME TABLE NO. 19,
Takes effect March 25, 1893.

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LEAVE VICTORIA for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island—Sunday at 23 o'clock; Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock. Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going east Monday.
For Plumper's Pass—Wednesdays and Fridays at 7 o'clock.
For Moresby Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.
For Pender Island—Friday at 7 o'clock.
LEAVE NEW WESTMINSTER for Victoria—Monday at 13 o'clock; Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Plumper Pass—Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.
For Pender Island—Thursday at 7 o'clock.

Northern Route.

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Steamer Maude leaves Victoria for Alberni and Sound Ports the 1st and 15th of each month.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table at any time without notification.

JOHN IRVING, Manager.
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REMOVAL.

JNO. TEAGUE,
ARCHITECT.

Has removed to new offices corner of Broad Street and Trounce Avenue.

The Colonist.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29, 1893.

## ASTRONOMICAL.

VICTORIA, March 29, 1893.

Sun rises ....5.46 a.m. | Sun set .....6.25 p.m.
Moon sets 5.25 a.m., | 8th.
Day of the year, 88th.

N.B.—The above calculations are based on mean solar time, which is 13 m. 32s. *slower* than Victoria standard time.

## THE THERMOMETER.

ESQUIMALT STATION, March 28, 1893.
Report for 24 hours ending 9 p.m.

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| 1 a.m.. | 44° | Mean 46° | The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows: |
| 5 a.m.. | 45° | | |
| 9 a.m.. | 45° | Highest 50° | 5 a.m.—12 S. |
| 1 p.m.. | 49° | | 1 p.m.—Calm. |
| 5 p.m.. | 47° | Lowest 42° | 9 p.m.—Calm. |
| 9 p.m.. | 45 | | Rain—.74 |

Average state of weather—Cloudy.
E. BAYNES REED, Observer.

## PASSENGERS.

Per Str. NORTH PACIFIC from the Sound—N Berger, J T Rouge, E Amy, W A Harding and wife, G Berket, A G Campbell, Mrs Carnes, Wm Cunningham, Jos Berger, H Johnson, W G Jones, Wm Carnes, L W Hall, Wm Walsh, Alma Rouge, Joe Reese, E W Conable, A J Macconolence, J H Coblentz, A E Morse, Mrs Leiser, Chas Harris and wife, Mrs Wm Marvin.

Per Steamer ISLANDER from Vancouver—Wm Jennings, Miss Catell, E Welsh, J Palmer, Col Haggard, G Palmer, J D Breeze, F M Rattenbury, A Climes, G Holmes, F G Quigley, H Findlay, J A Thomson, W Rogers, R J Barker, G Leonard, E H Little, E A Sutler, Mrs Helgerson, L A Lawton, E H Mitchell, S R Roung, V W Hayward, Chas Spring, Mrs Climes, W Soule, A E Bannister, Mrs Findlay, Sister Mary Alphonse, Mrs Rogers, G R W Stuart, J Young, Mrs Little, M Douglas, Mrs Palmer, Mrs Lawton, A Z Smith, Wm Purden, A Sharpe, Jno Gettins, W B Cochrane, J P Eaton, A McInnes, Mrs McDonald, Sister Praxedes, Roy J W Glover, Miss F G Wickers, S Love.

## CONSIGNEES.

Per Str. NORTH PACIFIC from the Sound—J Partridge, Wilson Bros, E & N R R Co, E G Prior, Moore & Co, J T Rainer, E Punburg, G Holmes, J Ball, Oppenheimer Bros, Johnson & Co, Joy & Co, J Moss, Hotel Victoria, Geo T Corfield, W H Perry, C P N Co.

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## DIED.

POTTS—On the 26th instant, Ellis Mable, infant child of Thomas C. and Melinda Potts, aged 10 months and 15 days.

The funeral will take place TO-DAY (Wednesday), at 3 o'clock from the parents' residence, Henry street, Victoria West. Friends will please accept this intimation.

## RAILWAY CONTROVERSY.

The Legal Difficulties in Connection With Seattle, Lake Shore and Eastern Road.

SEATTLE, March 28.—Angus McIntosh, one of the plaintiffs in the suit brought by the stockholders of the Seattle, Lake Shore & Eastern against the Northern Pacific to have a receiver appointed for the Seattle, Lake Shore & Eastern road, was shown the dispatch from New York which contained an interview with the Northern Pacific Counsel McLaughlin, which said: "My own judgment is that this suit is instituted by the enemies of the proposed line from Vancouver to a connection with the Seattle road at Sumas. If they can secure the appointment of a receiver they can prevent the making of a contract for an exchange of business at the boundary. There is no merit in the application whatever, and it must necessarily fail if it does not die young." Mr. McIntosh, in reply, said: "I think the attorney in New York will find out differently when the end comes. The Northern Pacific under its present management is milking the S. L. S. & E. for the benefit of its own road and against the stockholders of the Lake Shore. The security of the Lake Shore will be destroyed under its present management by the Northern Patific. The statement that the suit is instigated by the enemies of the proposed line to Vancouver to a connection with the Seattle road at Sumas is not the truth. We only aim to protect the interests of the minority stockholders."

## UNDER FALSE PRETENCES.

Arrest of a Prominent Hide and Pelt Dealer of Portland.

PORTLAND, Or., March 28.—The failure of Koshland Bros., hide and pelt dealers, which occurred on the 10th instant, was revived yesterday by the grand jury returning four indictments against Matthias Koshland, the only living member of the firm. The complaint is made by the Bank of British Columbia, from which Koshland obtained a large amount of money under false pretences, exhibiting fraudulent warehouse receipts. Koshland was arrested at his residence, but did not sleep in jail, his relatives coming to his rescue with $5,000 bonds. The firm of Koshland Bros. opened a wool and pelt house here twenty-seven years ago. The brother died several years ago, but the firm name has been retained. Their business was extensive, and they were known in every Eastern wool market.

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## AMERICAN NEWS.

"The New York Times" Changes Hands—To Celebrate the Great Northern's Opening.

American Authorities Will Take All Precautions to Ensure Deportation of Chinese.

**A Coal Famine.**

CITY OF MEXICO, March 28.—Mazatlan, the principal port of the Pacific Coast of Mexico, is suffering from a coal famine, and many manufacturers have been compelled to close their establishments on account of lack of fuel.

**Mexican Tobacco Duty.**

CITY OF MEXICO, March 28.—The stamp tax on manufactured tobacco has been modified by the Treasury department to 20 cents a kilogram on the domestic product and 40 cents on the foreign product. On native snuff the tax is 25 cents a kilogram, and on foreign snuff 50 cents.

**New York "Times" Sold.**

NEW YORK, March 28.—It is reported that a contract for the sale of the New York Times has been drawn up and agreed to. The chief spirit in the buying syndicate is believed to be Charles R. Flint. It is understood that among the chief stockholders are President Woodward, of the Hanover National bank; President McCall, of the New York Life Insurance Company, and President Hyde, of the Equitable Life Assurance Company. Gilbert E. Jones and his sister represent the Jones, or controlling interest, which consists of sixty shares. The remainder is held by Henry Morgan and Mrs. Zabriskie. The real estate is retained by the Jones-Morgan interests, and the paper, with the franchise and plant, passes to the syndicate. It is understood the price is $950,000.

**The Empire's Sailors.**

PORT TOWNSEND, March 28.—The case of the eight seamen of the American ship Empire, who allege that they were drunk at Vancouver and in that condition compelled to sign articles agreeing to go on the ship Empire before the mast for a trip to England, came up in the superior court yesterday. For the captain of the vessel it was argued that the State had no jurisdiction and that the writ should be dismissed. Judge Ballinger took the matter under advisement. Should the writ of *habeas corpus* be allowed, those who brought the sailors to this side may have to answer to the British Government for kidnapping foreign citizens from foreign territory.

**Was It a Naronic Pigeon?**

NORWICH, Conn., March 28.—On Sunday afternoon, March 19, an exhausted carrier pigeon lit upon a fence back of Rev. F. E. Fellows' house on Otis street. The next day it was found on the ground dead. Upon the pigeon's leg was an aluminum band marked "N. 5,766." The bird was found on examination to have died from starvation. It is said there were pigeons on the missing steamer Naronic, and the question is, was this one of them?

**Great Northern Railway.**

SEATTLE, March 28.—The celebration of the completion of the Great Northern railway to Seattle will begin at St. Paul on June 7, 8 and 9. It will be a grand affair, and among the features will be labor and trades processions, a military parade, grand decoration and illumination, and on the third day there will be a banquet tendered to President Hill. The Loyal Legion of the United States holds its annual meeting there at the same time. This will be the first of a series of ovations to President Hill, which will be given him by the cities along the line of the Great Northern railway, and the climax of which will occur in this city in a two-days' celebration during the latter part of the month. On his tour Mr. Hill will be accompanied by some 300 capitalists, who will, he says, represent in their own persons a wealth of a thousand millions.

**Great Blow to the Revolution.**

NEW YORK, March 28.—The Herald's Valparaiso correspondent says: General Saraiva's defeat by government troops near Alegro, Rio Grande do Sul, on Thursday was a greater blow to the Brazilian revolutionists than was at first thought. Advices from Rivera say that General Saraiva was not only beaten badly, but that 3,000 of his men were made prisoners. He also lost a large amount of ammunition and arms.

**The Chinese Must Go.**

SAN FRANCISCO, March 27.—Having received information that the Chinese are preparing to offer forcible resistance in case an attempt is made to enforce the Geary law, Jno. C. Quinn, collector of Internal Revenue in this city, to whom power is delegated by the Government to carry out the provisions of the new law, has sent to Washington certain recommendations and plans. In brief they are to form a cordon of guards around Chinatown and to arrange for confining on Mare Island until deported all the Chinese arrested. The Chinese deny indignantly and vehemently the assertion that they ever even thought of offering forcible resistance to the law, and say that in case the courts afford them no relief the Chinamen will go home peacably at the expense of the United States, and will as peacefully submit to arrest and imprisonment on Mare Island, or any other restrictions that may be placed upon them.

**A Clever Scoundrel.**

DENVER, Colo., March 27.—About three years ago Mrs. Helen C. Woods, a rich widow, employed a man calling himself B. F. Frane, but whose real name is Owens, to take a number of valuable horses from Denver to Los Animos. There he was arrested on suspicion of having stolen the horses. He was soon released, however, and on his return to Denver he told Mrs. Woods that while he was in jail he overhead a conversation between two men who had been employed to kidnap Mrs. Woods' four-year old daughter, Millie, for the purpose of gaining possession of certain property in Pittsburg, Pa., to which she was sole heir. As Mrs. Woods has rich relatives in Pittsburg, she believed the stories, and gave Frane within a few months $12,000 to be used in frustrating the plot and getting possession of deeds and securities that were on deposit in a Cincinnati bank. After a short absence he returned and reported he had obtained the papers, but had killed two men in escaping, and that detectives were on his trail. He represented to her that she was also liable to be arrested as he was acting as her agent. Mrs. Woods gave him $3,000 to buy off the detectives. On February 22 last, Frane returned to Denver, and the next day he got from Mrs. Woods two drafts on Kountze Bros., of New York, one for $2,000 and the other for $3,000, and she has not seen him since. Mrs. Woods finally consulted a lawyer, who reported the matter to the police. A detective traced Frane to Lima, Ind., where all trace of him was lost.

**Elliott F. Sheppard's Funeral.**

NEW YORK, March 28.—The funeral of Elliott F. Sheppard took place this morning from the Fifth avenue Presbyterian church. The services were conducted by Dr. John Hall. The body was conveyed to the Vanderbilt vault in the Moravian cemetery in Newdorp, Staten Island.

**He Smuggled Chinamen.**

SAN FRANCISCO, March 28.—This morning in the United States District Court, D. O'Brien, who was charged with smuggling Chinese into the United States, withdrew his plea of not guilty and pleaded guilty. O'Brien was one of the crew of the smuggling steam schooner Olsen. He will be sentenced on the 29th inst.

## DARING BANK ROBBERY.

How Two Men Entered an Institution in Broad Daylight and Got Off With Four Thousand Dollars.

COFFEYVILLE, March 28.—A bank robbery, partaking of the daring shown at the famous Coffeyville affair of last October, in which several occupants lost their lives, was enacted at Caney yesterday afternoon. The only thing missing to make it more closely resemble the robbery in which the Daltons took a part was that nobody was hurt. The bandits got $4,000 and have a good start on their pursuers, and perhaps will never be captured. Caney is a small town eight miles south of here and very close to the Indian territory. The bank robbed was the Caney Valley, the only one in town.

At 1:15 o'clock in the afternoon two men, who were recognized as the notorious Henry Starr, an escaped convict, and a man named Newcomb, entered the bank unmasked and levelling their weapons at the cashier and the other employes, four in all, demanded all the money on hand. Without any ado the employes complied with the stern request, and before five minutes had elapsed from the time the bandits entered the place they were in possession of all the bank's cash, about $4,000. Nobody but the bank's employes were in the place, and as no one on the outside had noticed anything out of the way in their conduct, the bandits had nothing especially to fear.

Coolly placing the money in bags which they had provided themselves with, and warning the bankers that they would meet instant death should they attempt to make an outcry, the men backed out of the bank. On reaching the door, which was on the main street and before which the usual number of people were passing, the men hurried to their horses, which had been hitched in front, and were soon on their way at a rapid rate toward the Indian territory.

Nobody had particularly noticed even their strange action as they made for their horses and drove off, and it was some time before the bank employes recovered sufficiently from their fright to make an alarm. The fleeing men had plenty of time in which to get in a good start on any pursuers. When the alarm was finally given, the news of the daring robbery spread rapidly and a posse of citizens were quickly organized, and started in hot pursuit. Before the start could be made, however, the robbers had secured an advantage of fully thirty minutes, and it now seems improbable that they can be caught up with.

The bank was soon surrounded and the still frightened bank officials were too overcome to accurately state their loss, further than that everything in sight in the money line had been secured by the visitors. This will easily reach $4,000, and perhaps more. Henry Starr is one of the notorious Dalton gang, and only recently escaped from jail, where he was imprisoned for complicity in the Coffeyville robbery in October last. The officers in this part of the country have been in constant search for him lately, but could find no trace of his whereabouts, though they felt confident that he would soon be at his old game and thus give them a new clue. Newcomb is also a notorious criminal, having figured in several misdeeds in the Indian territory and contiguous country.

## A PROPERTY DISPUTE.

Litigation, Murder and Arrests the Outcome.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., March 28.—The story of a murder, which occurred in Canada about half way between Gananoque and Rockford, Ontario, last Friday has reached here. Charles Shipman, a farmer, had a dispute with Joseph N. Fitzsimmons, a hotel keeper at Halstead Bay, over the possession of a small piece of property. Shipman, as supposed, purchased the property from a relative of Fitzsimmons, who claimed to own it, but Fitzsimmons was the real owner, and he ordered Shipman off. The latter refused to go. Fitzsimmons carried the case through the Canadian courts and was successful. On Friday last Shipman approached the place, accompanied by his son, his daughter and son-in-law, and armed with a shotgun, seeing Fitzsimmons through the window he fired at him, but the shot only grazed his shoulder. Fitzsimmons then placed himself before the door to prevent Shipman from entering. Shipman placed the muzzle of the gun against the panel of the door and fired the charge, it passing through the wood and into the breast of Fitzsimmons, killing him instantly. Shipman and his party have been arrested and taken to Brockville.

## DIFFERENCES UNSETTLED.

The Panama Company and the Pacific Mail Have Come to No Arrangements.

NEW YORK, March 28.—Gen. J. Newton, president of the Panama Co., and Vice President Houston of the Pacific Mail S. S. Co., said this afternoon that the report that they had settled their differences and would soon resume traffic relations, was untrue. Mr. Newton said the contract between the Panama Co. and the North American Steamship Co., running from Panama to San Francisco, was ready to be signed.

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## MAINLAND MATTERS.

**KAMLOOPS.**

(From the Inland Sentinel.)

P. C. Pilchin, an old timer who is placer mining on Trout lake, is having pretty fair success.

Mr. James Brady writes from Thunder Hill that the mine is looking splendid and that the concentrator will be in full swing shortly. The unusual severity of the winter has impeded progress.

Mr. N. Hansen, from Wasa, reports at Golden that the hay supply in the upper country is growing very limited.

There is a rumor afloat that the mill of the Upper Columbia Navigation and Tramway company has been leased for five years by Mr. Mike Carlin, of Carlin & Lake.

Engineer A. J. McMillan, of the Kaslo-Slocan railway, has received instructions to begin work at once locating the line.

Mr. George Turner, surveyor, has been sent to Revelstoke, instructed by the Dominion Government to make surveys and draw up plans of the Columbia river at that point, so as to enable them to decide on the best means for preventing the undermining of the bank during high water.

P. M. Walker, Charles Holden and Tom Downs have been blasting rock and cleaning the channel of the Columbia river in the Narrows, between the Arrow Lakes. They are also the owners of the Great Northern Silver ledge, and have had an offer to bond it for $10,000. The syndicate, composed of Seattle, Chicago and Boston capitalists, will visit the mine as soon as the snow permits, and if it is at all like what it is reported, they offer to buy it for $27,000, to be paid in three instalments of $9,000 each—on the 15th July, 1st Sept. and 1st Oct.

R. E. Smith's millinery department is now open, with one of the finest stock of millinery goods in the interior.

A four-year old son of Mr. E. H. Grindrod, playing with other children on the bridge last Sunday, lost his balance and fell into the river twenty-five feet. Mr. Neil McPhee succeeded in saving the child.

Mr. D. R. Rease, formerly of the Pennsylvania Collieries, and recently superintendent of the collieries at Canmore and Anthracite, left Wednesday morning for the North Thompson Coal mines, to superintend work there for the Kamloops Coal Co., Ltd.

A letter from Gang Ranch, of the Western Canadian Ranching Co., March 13th, states that there was a hard frost there every night, although most of the snow had disappeared from the winter ranges. Mr. Prentice, the manager, crossed the Fraser on the previous day and turned out three hundred head of stock that had been wintered at the Perry Ranch of the Co. near Ashcroft.

**SALMON ARM.**

The weather continues very pleasant, and slowly but surely old Sol is removing the snow.

The winter's work is about completed, and as a result of it a good many ties, cedar posts, etc., may be seen piled beside the C. P. R. tracks.

Land is still in demand, and almost every week sees some land-seeker wending his way back to the south end of the valley.

Several settlers are patiently awaiting the arrival of Mr. H. Clemes' portable mill in order to get lumber sawed for house building and other purposes.

## GIBRALTAR NOWHERE.

Scheme for a Canal to Enable French Vessels to Enter the Mediterranean.

PARIS, March 28.—A bill to construct a lock canal from the Gironde to the Mediterranean was introduced in the Chamber yesterday. It will be 28 miles long. The company undertaking the work asks the State to guarantee two per cent. interest. Military men, especially M. deFreycinet, strongly favor the scheme, whose real aim is to destroy the importance of Gibraltar, as French vessels in time of war could ignore the straits and enter the Mediterranean through the canal.

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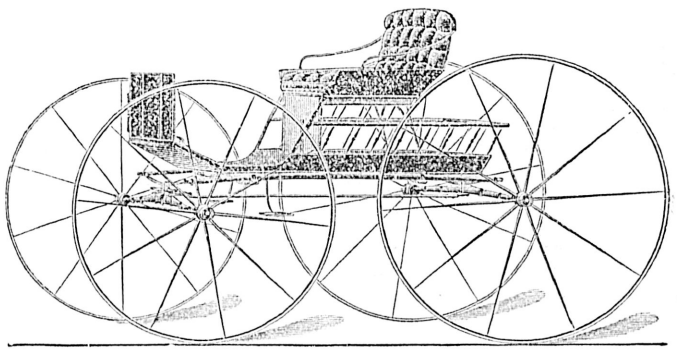

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